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FROM THE ARMY OF THE POTOMAC

THE BATTLE OF FALLING WATERS.

An Official Dispatch from Gen. Meade, Refuting Gen. Lee's Denial.

THE REPORT OF GENERAL KILPATRICK.

A New Rebel Camp Discovered---Changes and Promotions.

WASHINGTON, Wednesday, Aug. 12.

The following dispatch has been received at the Headquarters of the Army here:

HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY OF THE POTOMAC, Aug. 9, 1863.

Major-Gen. Halleck, General-in-Chief, Washington:

My attention has been called to what purports to be an official dispatch of Gen. R. E. LEE, commanding the Confederate army, to Gen. S. COOPER, Adjutant and Inspector-General, denying the accuracy of my telegram to you of July 14, announcing the result of the cavalry affair at Falling Waters.

I have delayed taking any notice of Gen. LEE's report until the return of Brig.-Gen. KILPATRICK, absent on leave, who commanded the cavalry on the occasion referred to, and on whose report from the field my telegram was based. I now inclose the official report of Brig.-Gen. KILPATRICK, made after his attention had been called to Gen. LEE's report. You will see that he reiterates and confirms all that my dispatch asserted, and proves most conclusively that Gen. LEE has been deceived by his subordinates, or he would never, in the face of the facts now alleged, have made the assertions his report contains.

It appears that I was in error in stating that the body of Gen. PAYNE was left in our hands, although I did not communicate that fact until an officer from the field reported to me he had been the body.

It is now ascertained from the Richmond papers that Gen. PAYNE, though mortally wounded in the affair, was taken to Winchester, where he subsequently died.

The three battle-flags captured on this occasion, and sent to Washington, belonged to the Fortieth, Forty-seventh and Fifty-fifth Virginia regiments of Infantry. Gen. LEE will surely acknowledge these were not left in the hands of stragglers "asleep in barns."

Respectfully yours,
GEORGE G. MEADE,
Major-General Commanding.

HEADQUARTERS THIRD DIVISION CAVALRY CORPS, WARRENTON JUNCTION, Va., Aug. 7, 1863.

To Col. A. J. Alexander, Chief of Staff of Cavalry Corps:

COLONEL: In compliance with a letter just received from the headquarters of the cavalry corps of the Army of the Potomac, directing me to give the facts concerning affair with the rebels at Falling Waters, I have the honor to state that at 3 o'clock on the morning of the 14th ult., I learned that the enemy's pickets were retiring on my front. Having been previously ordered to attack at 7 A. M., I was ready to move at once. At daylight I had reached the crest of hills occupied by the enemy an hour before, and at a few minutes before 6 o'clock Gen. CUSTER drove the rear guard of the enemy into the river at Williamsport. Learning from citizens that a portion of the enemy had crossed in the direction of Falling Waters, I at once moved rapidly for that point, and came up with the rear guard of the enemy at 7½ A. M., at a point two miles distant from Falling Waters. We pressed on, driving them before us, capturing many prisoners and guns. When within one and a half miles of Falling Waters, the enemy was found in large force drawn up in line of battle on the crest of a hill, commanding the road on which I was advancing. His left was protected by earthworks, and his right extended to the woods far on my left. The enemy was, when first seen, in two lines of battle, with arms stacked.

Within less than one thousand yards of this large force, a second piece of artillery with its support, consisting of infantry, was captured while attempting to get into position. A portion of the Sixth Michigan cavalry, seeing only that portion of the enemy behind the earthworks, charged.

The charge, led by Major WEBER, was the most gallant ever made. At a trot he passed up the hill, received the fire from the whole line, and the next moment rode through and over the earthworks, passed to the right, sabering rebels along the entire line, and returned with a loss of thirty killed, wounded and missing, including the gallant Major WEBER, killed.

I directed Gen. CUSTER to send forward one regiment of skirmishers. They were repulsed before support could be sent them, and driven back, closely followed by the rebels, until checked by the First Michigan and a squadron of the Eighth New-York.

The Second brigade having come up, it was quickly thrown into position, and after a fight of two hours and thirty minutes, routed the enemy at all points and drove them toward the river.

When within a short distance of the bridge, Gen. BURNS's command came up and took the advance.

We lost 29 killed, 36 wounded and 40 missing. We found upon the field 126 dead rebels, and brought away upward of 50 wounded.

A large number of the enemy's wounded were left upon the field, in charge of their own Surgeons.

We captured two guns, three battle flags, and upward of 1,300 prisoners.

To Gen. CUSTER and his brigade, Lieut. RAMSDEL's battery, and one squadron of the Eighth New-York cavalry, of Gen. BURNS's command, all praise is due.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,
J. KILPATRICK,
Brig.-Gen. of Volunteers, commanding a division.

Information was received to-day from the Army of the Potomac, saying that Brig.-Gen. GUSTAVUS A. WEBER, Chief of the Topographical Engineers, has been promoted to a Major-General. This appointment is generally conceded by all to be justly due to this distinguished and accomplished officer.

A new rebel camp was discovered on Pony Mountain, near Culpepper, on Sunday. It is believed the rebels came from the south side of the Rapidan.

WM. T. SHERMAN, of Philadelphia, for a long time Chief Clerk to the Chief Quartermaster of the Army of the Potomac, has been rewarded for his ability and devotion by the appointment of Captain in the same Department.

Brig.-Gen. PARKER, Provost-Marshal-General, has obtained a short leave of absence to attend to private business, it being the first time since his entering into the volunteer service he has been absent from his arduous duties. Deputy-Provost-Marshal SHARPE acts in his stead.

No movements of a general character have transpired for some time in the Army of the Potomac. The weather is intensely hot—the earth is dry and parched—and man and beast are glad to seek the cooling shade.

Last night Mosby's guerrillas captured twelve sutlers' wagons a short distance beyond Accotink Creek south of Mount Vernon. A detachment of Federal troops is in pursuit.

GEN. MEADE AND THE ARMY.

A correspondent of the Boston *Traveller* writes:

"It is reported that Gen. MEADE has sent in his resignation. A gentleman just from Washington, who has had the best opportunities to be posted in the matter, informs me that a few days since Gen. MEADE sent a letter to the General-in-Command, at Washington, urging permission to attack the enemy. The letter was referred to the President. Mr. LINCOLN immediately replied: 'My,' said the President, 'the army was not sufficiently strong to warrant an attack on the enemy at Williamsport, how can it be strong enough now?' While I have no disposition to interfere with the operations of the army or the plans of the Commander-in-General, I must say that such a movement will be contrary to my wishes and against my judgment.' A copy of the letter was sent to Gen. MEADE.

The allusion to Williamsport, doubtless, irritated Gen. MEADE. He could have, by sending a strong force across the Potomac, and pursuing LEE, captured a part of his army. Gen. MEADE, however, as has before been stated, called a council of war and found that his Generals were equally divided in opinion, four to four, and he would not assume the responsibility.

The credit of saving the army at Gettysburgh is said to be due to a distinguished officer acting under special orders from Gen. HALLECK. This officer, while at Harrisburgh, was informed of certain movements of the army. He immediately understood what those movements indicated, namely, that the enemy were moving in converging lines, so as to concentrate upon Gettysburgh. As he was familiar with every foot of the ground in that locality, he saw at once the object of the movement and the danger of our army. He immediately telegraphed to Gen. SEDGWICK, requesting that officer to forward his information to Gen. MEADE by a courier, at all hazards.

The information was received one hour before LEE had posted his army, and acting upon the information MEADE had just time to fall back and avail himself of the accident of the locality. This same officer advised Gen. MEADE to push forward a division across the Potomac, and had his advice been taken, in all human probability the result would have been another serious reverse to LEE's army.

A LETTER FROM GEN. SICKLES.

HIS HOPES TO RESUME ACTIVE DUTY PROMPTLY.

The following letter has been received from Gen. SICKLES by an officer in the army:

NEW-YORK, Saturday, Aug. 1, 1863.

MY DEAR GENERAL: Yours of the 25th was received to-day. I shall join the corps the very first day my strength will permit. My stump at present is very painful when a storm approaches, or during its progress. This will not last long. It has not yet shrunk to its natural size, so that I can be measured for an artificial leg; nor has it acquired sufficient hardness to enable me to ride in a carriage faster than a walk over any but a park road. In two weeks all these impediments will be removed, unless some hindrance occurs not now to be foreseen. I expect to be with you, for a trial at least, between the 15th and 20th of August.

You cannot exaggerate my eagerness to be among the noble men who have done so much for the country and to whom I am indebted for so much of the military repute and flattering honors I enjoy. I wish to live and die with them; their fate and mine must always be inseparable; their honor, welfare, pride and pleasures, are part and parcel of my existence.

Will you not soon be made much stronger by the draft. There must be a large number of men already in the depots. Look out for your share in good season.

Naval Movements.

RECEPTION OF THE FLAGSHIP HARTFORD AT THE NAVY-YARD.

Exactly at 1 o'clock yesterday the United States steamer *Hartford*, late flagship of Admiral FARRAGUT, arrived at the Brooklyn Navy-yard amid one of the most exciting demonstrations witnessed there for some years. The precincts of the yard were crowded long before the vessel got up the river; and as she neared the wharf the docks were literally crammed with spectators, among whom were a large number of ladies. Naval officers of every rank and grade assembled in uniform and undress to witness the anchorage. At about 1 o'clock the vessel came up to the buoy, and on stopping the crew of the receiving-ship *North Carolina* and the sailors of several other vessels in the yard sprang into the rigging, and tumultuously cheered her. The spectators on the wharf also joined in the boisterous welcome, in return to which the crew of the *Hartford* gave three cheers and a "tiger" for New-York, the Union, Admiral FARRAGUT, etc. On anchoring the ship was boarded by the officers of the station and by an immense number of male and female friends of her officers and crew. She is now moored opposite the long dock, and will remain there for some time. Her ship's company will receive liberty and the officers be detached. The marines will be transferred to the barracks in charge of Major GARLAND, who will see that they are properly taken care of. The *Hartford* is to be thoroughly overhauled and repaired.

EFFECT OF THE REBEL FIRE ON OUR VESSELS—

SURVEY OF THE STEAMER RICHMOND.

The effect of the severe engagement in the Mississippi on our naval vessels cannot be imagined by persons unacquainted with naval matters. Yesterday the United States steamer *Richmond* was formally surveyed at the Brooklyn navy-yard by a Board of Officers detailed for the purpose by Rear-Admiral PAULDING. Every part of the vessel was minutely examined—the masts, decks, rigging, ward rooms, holds and engines. The result of the investigation proved that the amount of repairs to be effected on the ship will cost almost as much as the construction of a new man-of-war. Having been in several severe engagements—among others, with the rebel steamer *Tom*, with Fort McRae, with Forts Jackson and St. Philip, with the Chalmette batteries and New-Orleans, with the Vicksburgh batteries, with the rebel ram *Arkansas*, and with Port Hudson—it is not to be wondered at that her hull has been considerably jarred. One of her masts has been so much displaced that its effect on the keelson has been very deleterious, and may probably necessitate a very extensive repairing of the keel. There are said to be still two solid shot buried in the interior of the vessel. The officers of this and other ships engaged on the Mississippi, state that the *Richmond* is hardly more damaged than the generality of the fleet. If this be so, the overhauling and repairing of the squadron will be one of the most extensive operations performed at our Navy-yard for some years. Already the work of refitting vessels is felt so severely at the different naval stations that men-of-war on their return are obliged to be sent to ship builders for repairs. The *Richmond*, *Brooklyn*, *Hartford* and the *Pensacola* were four of our first steamers, and have done more service since this war began than any of the other vessels. The navy must do without them now, however, for a considerable period, as it will be nearly half a year before they can be ready for service again.

PURCHASE OF THE PRIZE STEAMER EMMA.

The Navy Department has purchased the prize steamer *Emma*, which was captured some time since in the attempt to run the blockade. She was brought to the Navy-yard yesterday, and turned over to the Government authorities for conversion into a vessel-of-war. The *Emma* is an exceedingly neat-looking vessel, rather small, but is supplied with excellent engines and machinery generally. She will be taken in hand at once, and made a good gunboat of. Capt. DAHLGREN, of the Ordnance Department, is preparing a suitable armament for her, and shot and shell will be ready to be put on board. It will take some weeks, however, to get her off.

OFFERS TO THE NAVY DEPARTMENT.

D. D. MALLORY, Washington, offers to finish steamer now building by MAXON, FIRE & Co., for $125,000, and deliver her in fifty-five days. If not delivered in the time mentioned, to deduct $250 per day for the next succeeding ten days, and $500 per day thereafter.

W. H. BARCLAY, New-York, offers three steamers for sale at prices "satisfactory to the Government."

A. H. CUMMINGSAN, New-York, offers for sale steam propeller *Ajax* for $10,000.

WM. A. JAMES & Co., Philadelphia, offer for sale steam tug *Pontiac* for $50,000, or will charter her at $75 per day.

ROSARIO ANNIS, Falls Village, Conn., proposes to make fifty 300-pounder wrought-iron rifled cannon of 10-inch calibre, to weigh about 35,000 pounds, to carry 100 pounds of powder and a 300-pound ball to the charge; price, $1 per pound. The gun selected for trial shall stand one thousand rounds without bursing. The first gun to be delivered within eight months from date of contract, and one gun each eighteen days following.

C. J. BUSHNELL, New-Haven, Conn., offers to raise the *Varina* for a fair salvage on the value of the property saved.

C. & R. POLLEY, New-York, offer for sale a steamer now building; price not stated.

Fire in West Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Wednesday, Aug. 12.

Some coal oil in cans on the side tracks of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company at West Philadelphia, took fire this morning about 4 o'clock, destroying a number of cars loaded with coal oil, and damaging some others loaded with coal and other freight.

The fire promised at one time to be very destructive, as there were over a hundred cars standing on the several tracks, and the fire was but a short distance from the extensive shops of the Company; but it was checked by the speedy removal of all the cars except those burning.

The cause of the fire has not as yet been ascertained.

Arrival of the Alpha at Halifax.

HALIFAX, Wednesday, Aug. 12.

The steamship *Alpha*, from St. Thomas on the 3d, and Bermuda on the 6th inst., arrived here about 12 o'clock last night. She has a large number of passengers. No news.

The Fifteenth Massachusetts Regiment.

BOSTON, Wednesday, Aug. 12.

The Fifteenth Massachusetts regiment which arrived here last night, has been furloughed for six days, when it will be mustered out of the service.

MYSTERIOUS NAVAL BATTLE.

A United States Gunboat and a Rebel Privateer Engaged on the Coast of Maine.

The Battle Witnessed by a Number of Persons.

NO OFFICIAL REPORT OF THE AFFAIR.

From the Portland (Me.) Argus of Thursday.

We received and published a report of a battle off Schoodac Island, on Thursday, July 23, giving some particulars of it. Since then the fact of its occurrence has been confirmed by the arrival of several vessels at different ports, whose Captains either saw or heard it. But as yet we have had no explanation of the affair. Nobody seems to know what it means.

We are now in possession of facts that satisfy us beyond the possibility of a doubt, that an engagement did occur between two steamers on the day and in the locality named, and that from 53 to 56 shots were exchanged. It appears that a large propeller steamship, painted black, was lying for some days prior to the 23d ult. on Grand Menan Banks. She was at one time so near the schooner *Ohio*, Capt. DOLLIVER, of Tremont, that the Captain feared she would drift on to him, and he hailed her, expressing his fears of such a result. The Captain of the steamer told him to have no fear, that he would not harm him. She laid alongside the *Ohio* about 24 hours.

The battle occurred between 10 and 11 o'clock in the forenoon, about ten miles east-southeast from Baker's Island, Mount Desert. The day was perfectly clear, and the battle was witnessed by Capt. RICHARDSON, of Cranberry Island, and others from the light-house on Baker's Island. With a glass the vessels could be seen with perfect distinctness. The persons in the light-house counted 59 discharges from guns of very heavy calibre.

Capt. CARVER, of the schooner *George Killorn*, from Calais, arrived in Tremont about three hours after the engagement. He reports that he saw the whole engagement at about 10 to 12 miles distant from him. The engagement lasted about three-quarters of an hour; the vessel which was taken to be the United States gunboat ran in for the land, and the other steamer, supposed the one that had been lying upon Grand Menan Banks, followed her in as near the shore as she dared to, apparently, and then went off. The gunboat went into Southwest Harbor, in Tremont, sent a boat ashore, and a messenger to the Post-office. The officer of the boat, on being asked what the firing meant, replied: "We had an engagement with a Confederate privateer and sunk her." The boat returned to the steamer, which then started off westward.

The facts in regard to the battle are confirmed by Capt. WARD, of the fishing schooner Signal, of Tremont, who arrived in port the next day. He was lying about six miles southeast from Duck Islands, saw the fight and saw the black steamer run out to sea by Mount Desert Rock.

There was a town meeting in Tremont on that day. The news had spread in the morning, and the people had rattled the glass so much as to alarm people, and many went to Southwest Harbor to learn what it meant. They there saw the steamer come in and the boat come ashore. Those at the Town-house counted 56 distinct discharges of heavy guns.

These are the facts amply vouched for which we have, through the politeness of Capt. BOWN, of the schooner *Corsa*, from Tremont.

Of course every one will enquire what all this means? We can furnish no explanation. The belief of those who witnessed the fight, was that it was a battle between a Confederate privateer and a United States gunboat—that the gunboat got the worst of it and came west to report and get help, and they had been constantly expecting an official report of the affair. Why has there been no official explanation of the matter? The Navy Department must be in possession of the facts. Some of those who saw her think the black steamer was the *Lord Clyde*.

MILITARY AFFAIRS.

Arming of City Regiments—Movements of Judge-Advocate Waterbury—Order from Gen. Canby—Number of Troops in our Harbor, &c., &c.

The greatest activity combined with the most profound secrecy is manifested in the military circles of our City, and in fact of the Department of the East generally. The most absolute harmony of purpose and of action appears to exist between the National and State authorities. It is a significant fact that yesterday Gov. SEYMOUR issued orders for the issuing of large numbers of new arms to several of the City regiments; that the order is being executed rapidly and without public display.

The presence of Judge-Advocate WATERBURY, formerly District-Attorney of this City, is likewise indicative of work. Judge WATERBURY has just returned from Washington, where he did his utmost to induce the President to postpone the draft. He will remain here but for a day or two in the transaction of military business for the Governor, and then repair to the headquarters at Albany.

It will be remembered that during the riot Brig.-Gen. CANBY established his headquarters at No. 309 Mulberry-street, that he might be in direct communication with the Police authorities. That exigency having passed, he has issued the following order, which explains itself, and in consequence of which the removal took place yesterday:

GENERAL ORDERS No. 7.—The following Staff Officers having been assigned to duty at these headquarters, are hereby announced to the command, and will be obeyed and respected accordingly:

Major C. T. Christensen, Capt. A. P. Fiske, Assistant Adjutants-General.

First Lieut. Edward Kip, Aid-de-Camp and Acting Inspector-General.

Capt. De Witt Clinton, Aid-de-Camp and Acting Judge Advocate.

Capt. John F. S. Gray, Aid-de-Camp.

First Lieut. Charles C. Wood, Ninth U. S. Infantry, Chief of Ordnance and Artillery.

First Lieut. Heyward Cutting, Tenth U. S. Infantry, Acting Aid-de-Camp.

The headquarters of the command are established at No. 44 Bleecker-street.

The orderly hours for officers having business at these headquarters will be from 10 to 12 A. M., but important business will be attended to at any hour of the day or night, upon reporting to the orderly officer on duty.

By order of Brig.-Gen. CANBY.
C. T. CHRISTENSEN, Assistant Adjt.-Gen.

Fortifying Maryland Heights.

A letter in the Boston *Journal*, said to be from a member of the Fourteenth Massachusetts, contains the following extract:

"We are busy in refitting our quarters and remounting the heavy guns, most of which have been saved and will soon be ready for use. To-day a hundred men were detached to draw two of the heaviest guns—one a 30-pound Parrott, weighing over 4,000 pounds, and the other a 24-pound smooth bore, weighing nearly 6,000 pounds—to the highest point of elevation, 1,100 feet above the river. This was done by means of a long rope furnished for the purpose, all the men taking hold of it after the style of an engine company. The whole battalion are now expecting to remain on the heights during the coming season, the Government having resolved to hold the place, and to furnish a larger force, more guns and better. Over 6,000 acres of woodland on Maryland and Loudon Heights have been cleared by the soldiers since the war commenced, in addition to the ordinary duties of military life.

JEFF. DAVIS' CAPTURED CORRESPONDENCE.

Letters from Buchanan and Beauregard.

The Indianapolis *Journal* publishes letters from BUCHANAN and BEAUREGARD, which were among the batch of correspondence belonging to JEFF. DAVIS, which were captured by our troops near Jackson, some days since. The following is Mr. BUCHANAN's letter. The letter is published just as written. The italics are Mr. BUCHANAN's:

(Private and Confidential.)

WHEATLAND, March 16, 1860.

MY DEAR SIR: I was in town this afternoon, and, receiving your letter there, I gave it a hasty answer, provoked thereto by the conduct of CAMERON.

So far from having in any degree recoiled from the Missouri Compromise, I have prepared a letter to sustain it, written with all the little ability of which I am master. You may ask why has it not been published? The answer is very easy. From a careful examination of the proceedings in Congress, *it is clear that non-intervention is all that will be required by the South.* WIGFALL's speech is to be the base of the compromise—it is lauded to the echo by distinguished Southern men—and what is it? Non-intervention, *and non-intervention simply because the Territorial Power is not required to prevent the curse of Slavery from being inflicted on the Territories.* Under these circumstances it would be madness in me to publish my letter, and take higher ground for the South than they have taken for themselves. This would be to out-Herod Herod, and to be more Southern than the South. It could do no good, but might do much mischief.

The truth is, the South have got themselves into a condition on this question from which it appears to me they cannot extricate themselves. My proposition of the Missouri Compromise was at once abandoned by them, and the cry was non-intervention. They fought the battle at the last Presidential election with this device upon their banners. The Democracy of Pennsylvania are now everywhere rallying to non-intervention. They suppose in doing this they are standing by the South in the manner most acceptable to their Southern brethren. Our Democratic journals are praising the speech of WIGFALL because all the appearances are that it is satisfactory to the South. It is now too late to change front with any hope of success. You may retreat with honor upon the principle that you can carry your slaves to California, and secure them under the Constitution, and refer the question to the Supreme Court of the United States. I am sorry both for your sakes and my own that such is the condition in which you are placed.

I say for my own sake, because I can never yield the position which I have deliberately taken in favor of the Missouri Compromise, and I shall be assailed by fanatics and Freesoilers as long as I live, for having gone further in support of the rights of the South than Southern Senators and Representatives. I am committed for the Missouri Compromise, *and that committal shall stand.*

Should there be any unexpected change in the aspect of affairs at Washington which would hold out the hope that the publication of my Missouri Compromise letter would do any good, it shall yet be published.

I was about to write more, but this letter is long enough.

It may be, and doubtless was the fact, that in 1819 or 1820 my name was placed on a Committee which reported the resolutions to which that scamp, General CAMERON, refers. I was then a young man, had a great veneration for the Chairman of the Committee as my legal preceptor, and probably was under the influence of the excitement then universal in Pennsylvania. I first went to Congress in December, 1821, and throughout my whole public career have been uniformly maintaining the just constitutional rights of the South. I have made more speeches on the subject, both on the floor of the Senate and at home, than probably any other man now living. One of them I now enclose to you *marked*, which fell into my hands last evening whilst I was looking for other matters.

I wish you would read my speech through on the veto power. It is the only one I am aware which fully places my position in a proper light.

From your friend, very respectfully,
JAMES BUCHANAN.

To Hon. JEFFERSON DAVIS.

P. S.—Why did not the Southern gentlemen agree upon a common basis of settlement? Please to let me hear from you soon. I am invited *very specially* to a wedding in Washington, and possibly I may be there for one day on the 9th of April. Would to Heaven that Gen. TAYLOR might come out in favor of the Missouri Compromise! I should glory in sustaining him.

Of BEAUREGARD's letter the *Journal* says:

"It relates mainly to the policy of sending two small armies by different routes to Utah to put down the Mormon rebellion, and exhibits a good deal more of the pedantry of his profession, and a good deal less of the ability he has been credited with, than so formal a document might have been expected to do. The conclusion of it alludes to the lack of protection of the people of Texas, and the partiality shown to New-England, which he illustrates in the following remarks: 'Are not the Texans human? Are they not the tender care and protection of Congress as those of New-England abolition, freedom-shrieking, nutmeg peddlers? Only suppose that one of the latter could be murdered by an Indian or a pirate on their barren, rocky shores, what a hubbub and fuss would it not create from one end of the Union to the other? Even Southerners would join in the hue and cry! All our land and naval forces, including the Gulf squadron, would be ordered out forthwith to avenge the nigger stealer's death.' Following this bit of nonsense is his profession of faith on the Union question, which concludes the letter. It is dated Feb. 13, 1856, at New-Orleans.

I am no disunion man. I have lived long enough at the North to be able to appreciate fully the good qualities, energy, commercial aptitude and shrewdness of its inhabitants. But I, for one, will never submit tamely to insult or injustice, whatever may be its advantages, to be snubbed and robbed of my just rights, even at the risk of losing in the contest all that I may be possessed of. We have, in my humble opinion, no concessions to make to them, for to us the question of Slavery is one of life or death; to them it is one of fancy and of political capital. The more we yield to their unjust demands the more exacting they will become; for as their preponderance in our national council increases ours diminishes, until at last they shall have the power to say that they will not even deign to ask, but will order forthwith the execution of a measure which will bring death and desolation to our homes. But this is a question so familiar to your high intelligence and patriotism, that I will pursue it no further. Hoping that "all will end well that is well," I remain, dear Sir, very respectfully, your ob't serv't,

G. T. BEAUREGARD.

Gen. JEFF. DAVIS, U. S. Senator, Washington, D.C.

THE INDIAN WAR.

A Fight on the Missouri River—All the Indians this Side the Rocky Mountains Hostile.

CHICAGO, Wednesday, Aug. 12.

A special dispatch from St. Paul says Dr. HOYT has just returned from the Idaho gold mines. He reports that in a battle between the passenger-steamers *Shreveport* and *Robert Campbell* and the Indians, 100 miles below Fort Union, on the Missouri River, twenty-eight Indians were killed, and a number wounded, and three whites were killed and two wounded. The boats were on a sandbar. They had two howitzers, and were barricaded with bundles of buffalo robes. Dr. HOYT reports that all the Indians on this side of the Rocky Mountains are hostile. He thinks that the expedition of Capt. FISKE will fail.

A letter from SIBLEY's expedition, dated James River, July 21, says: "A battle is expected with the Indians within two days. It seems to be the design of the Indians to leave the prairie, and draw our forces into the hilly country of the Missouri, and there give them battle."

The Sabbath Convention at Saratoga.

SARATOGA, Wednesday, Aug. 12.

The Sabbath Convention held two sessions to-day, with large attendance and increased interest. Dr. WILLARD PARKER, of New-York, delivered an address on physiology in its relations to the Sabbath. Dr. HENRY B. SMITH, of New-York, read a paper on the philosophy of the Sabbath. President HOPKINS, of Williams College, read a paper on the relation of the Sabbath to free institutions. Mr. WM. E. DODGE reported resolutions in favor of means for securing a better observance of the Sabbath.

NEWS FROM FORTRESS MONROE.

Advices from Charleston to the 7th inst.

THE PRIZE STEAMER KATE.

FORTRESS MONROE, Tuesday, Aug. 11.

The United States revenue transport steamer *Flora*, Commander W. A. BOOM, arrived here last evening from Charleston. She reports that she left Port Royal on Friday, the 7th, and passed by Charleston at 11 o'clock that evening, when heavy and rapid firing was heard. The bombarding was between Fort Sumter and Morris Island, and the sky was brilliantly illuminated by the shells.

On the 8th, while off Cape Lookout, the *Flora* was boarded by the *James Adger*. On the 9th she had to put out her fires to repair her boilers, which detained her ten hours.

The United States gunboat *Western World*, Capt. GANNON, arrived, arrived this morning from Morehead City, N. C., with the prize steamer *Kate* in tow. The *Kate* is an English-built steamer, and was recently captured while attempting to run the blockade from Wilmington.

The Cherrystone boat arrived here at 2 o'clock this afternoon with two prisoners, father and son, charged with shooting two United States sentinels at Cherrystone last Saturday.

The old residents here say that yesterday was the warmest day experienced in these parts since 1836. A soldier died from sunstroke in the fortress.

THE DRAFT.

Who Are Deserters?

WAR DEPARTMENT,
PROVOST-MARSHAL-GENERAL'S OFFICE,
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CIRCULAR No. 67.—The following opinion of Col. JOHN ROSS, Judge-Advocate-General, with regard to men who have been drafted, who were absent or at sea at the time of draft, is published for the information and guidance of officers of this Bureau, viz.:

The class of persons referred to, if deserters according to the letter of the statute, are not so according to its spirit, and should not be so treated by the Government. The drafted men who are declared to be deserters for having failed to report themselves for duty are those who have had actual personal notice, or constructive notice, from leaving a summons at their last place of residence, that they have been drafted, and that their attendance at the place of rendezvous named is required. It is assumed that the constructive notice has reached the parties, and hence they are denounced as deserters for not obeying it. Desertion involves a criminal intent, and a man cannot, in the sense of the law, or with any propriety of language, be held to have deserted a service when he did not know he belonged to it—to have neglected a duty when he had no means of knowing that it had been imposed upon him. The law would stultify itself were it to declare otherwise. Ignorance of the law excuses no man, but ignorance of facts does. The law obliges no man to do an impossible thing, nor can it on any principle hold him responsible for not having done it. When, therefore, a drafted man is abroad or at sea, or otherwise placed in such circumstances as to render it physically impossible for him to have had knowledge of the draft, and of his duty under it, he should not be advertised or treated as a deserter. Such a step would be cruel, and would shock that sense of public justice, which all entertain. If such persons do not, without delay, report themselves for duty after receiving information that they have been drafted, they should be arrested as deserters. It will be for the Secretary of War to determine how long the public interests will permit the Government to wait for the return of this class of persons. Unquestionably the drafted man who do not within a reasonable time return to the country, so as to enter the service, should not be accepted as a part of the quota of troops from the district to which they belong."

JAMES B. FRY, Provost-Marshal-General.

In Washington.

From the Washington Star, Aug. 11.

SYLVESTER B. ENGLISH claimed exemption on the ground of physical disability, but upon examination he was accepted, much to his chagrin and disappointment. He then requested permission to go and obtain a substitute, but Capt. SCHENCK took his descriptive roll, and sent him to the camp near the "Circle," and he will have to make arrangements for a substitute after arriving there.

A number of ladies attended at the City Hall for the purpose of pleading for relatives who had been drafted. They were all, however, firmly, but courteously informed by Capt. SCHENCK, that no exemption could be made except for legal cause, and that, as ladies were not drafted, there was no necessity for their presence. Many of them brought the papers of their relatives, and supposed that would answer every purpose.

One drafted man brought as a substitute a dilapidated Teuton, who looked as though he had just got off of a seven-months' spree, and had been pickled up in a lager bier barrel from time immemorial. Capt. SCHENCK concluded that the substitute could not supply a place in Uncle Sam's army.

The two first genuine black substitutes were offered to-day and accepted. They were offered by WM. WORMLEY and Clem. JONES, two well-known colored men of light complexion, and it seems that they had picked out two of the blackest darkies as substitutes to be had for money.

While the Board have been engaged in hearing the claims of those wishing to be exempted, LEWIS CARRANE, Esq., the receiver of commutation money, has commenced to receive the exemption money from various parties, but up to the present time has received the sum necessary to secure exemption but from four—Messrs. THOMAS M. KINNEY, JOHN P. FRANKLIN, G. T. MCGLUE and HENRY MCGEE. Many persons who would have paid their commutation money have purchased substitutes, the prices of whom range from $150 to $250; but as the demand increases the prices will go up, and in a short time the commutationers will roll in their piles in swarms, doubtless.

Skedaddlers Arrested.

From the Boston Journal.

Among the persons drafted in the Fourth District, were three of the table waiters at the American House in this city. After receiving their notifications the three conscripts left the city and went to Wolfboro, N. H., where they obtained employment at the "Pavilion, and doubtless thought themselves safely "out of the draft," but Provost-Marshal HOWE was on the lookout for them, and yesterday three United States detectives appeared at the Pavilion in Wolfboro, where they identified the three deserters, and took them into custody, informing them that they would be taken on board the next boat for Alton Bay and thence to Boston.

This roused the ire of certain Copperheads who were stopping at the Pavilion, and who managed to get up quite a demonstration, advising the conscripts to resist and not to return with the officers. We are further informed that one of the most prominent of the opponents to the enforcement of the law was an ex-office holder at this port and a resident of Ward 10 in this city, who harangued the crowd, arguing that the conscription law was unconstitutional, and intimating that the officers had no right to take the men away, etc. It is also stated that the daughter of this individual joined with the others in hissing the officers and making other unladylike demonstrations.

As the time approached for the boat to leave, one the officers very coolly informed the crowd that it was not for him to either argue or decide upon the constitutionality of the law, and even if it was in his place to do so, he had not the time to do it then, as the boat was about leaving. He told his brother officers had only their duty to perform, and that they were bound to do it all hazards. The crowd were very much excited, but the firm bearing of the officers, and the intimidation of a revolver prevented any further active demonstrations of opposition. The officers, with their three prisoners, left on the boat, and safely reached this city by the regular train.—*Journal.*

Where the Volunteers Come From.

From the Utica Herald.

We have expressed our surprise that the *Observer* made no objection to our statement that the Democratic counties are responsible for nearly all the deficiencies under the volunteer calls. The *Observer* has this response:

"We made 'no objection,' because we thought it useless to notice so shameless a perversion of mendacity. The Adjutant-General's report shows that 27 counties were deficient last year in filling their quotas. Of these 27 counties, 11 gave Democratic majorities, and 16 gave Republican majorities at the last election!"

"Shameless specimen of mendacity" was it to tell such plain truth, and to support the statement by evidence too startling for our doughty neighbor to touch? If the *Observer* would not think us too mendacious, we should like to repeat a few more figures bearing on this question of volunteering. We take them from the last report of Adjutant-General HILLHOUSE, and quote them for the purpose of showing, on authority above question, where the volunteers have really gone from:

UNDER PRESIDENT'S CALL OF JULY 2, 1862.

Republican Counties.	Volunteers furnished.	Deficiency.	Excess.	Whole excess.
Allegheny	1116	175	—	2013
Broome	1049	61	—	1503
Cattaraugus	1053	204	—	1204
Cayuga	1646	204	—	2000
Chautauqua	1502	193	—	2442
Chenango	1242	29	—	1230
Cortland	569	131	—	1011
Delaware	1146	176	—	400
Essex	487	305	—	841
Franklin	659	205	—	75
Fulton & Hamilton	620	11	—	51
Genesee	353	63	—	600
Herkimer	No returns.		—	1150
Jefferson	2000	67	—	2407
Lewis	732	146	—	170
Livingston	1182	41	—	1500
Madison	1169	343	—	1448
Monroe	2374	—	342	772
Niagara	1404	—	79	2
Oneida	3005	346	—	421
Onondaga	2701	100	—	1640
Ontario	1404	—	20	1124
Orleans	609	—	100	1140
Oswego	2400	—	61	2000
St. Lawrence	2325	961	—	6076
Saratoga	1297	213	—	804
Schuyler	No returns.		—	400
Steuben	No returns.		—	4007
Tioga	856	24	—	879
Tompkins	966	24	—	1279
Warren	853	107	—	900
Washington	1443	—	23	1700
Wayne	1564	—	80	1300
Wyoming	761	207	—	1200
Yates	671	—	49	1201
Totals	43,185	4,023	609	
Deduct Surplus		609		
Net Deficiency		3,336		

Democratic Counties.	Volunteers furnished.	Deficiency.	Excess.	Surplus.
Albany	3074	—	150	3600
Chemung	No returns.		—	63
Clinton	949	374	—	801
Columbia	1494	—	20	785
Dutchess	1970	32	—	414
Erie	3406	904	—	2141
Greene	502	436	—	1194
Kings	5643	1769	—	6333
Montgomery	947	7	—	1076
New-York	8627	18,523	—	21,777
Orange	2011	—	38	779
Otsego	1291	302	—	57
Putnam	460	53	—	1
Queens	1779	—	5	1300
Rensselaer	3709	—	99	971
Richmond	768	—	8	1200
Rockland	236	439	—	1000
Schenectady	626	—	9	75
Schoharie	572	404	—	1120
Seneca	974	—	4	763
Suffolk	1339	—	1	60
Sullivan	800	—	16	637
Ulster	No returns.		—	1121
Westchester	2304	813	—	3011
Totals	43,159	24,402	960	
Deduct surplus		350		
Net deficiency		24,142		

These figures show at a glance what has been done and what has not been done, in the way of volunteering in the several Republican and Democratic counties. We have classified

THE OPERATIONS AGAINST VICKSBURGH.

Gen. Grant's Official Report.

Report of the operations of the Army of the Tennessee, from the day Maj.-Gen. U. S. GRANT assumed immediate command of the expedition against Vicksburgh to the surrender of that place.

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF THE TENNESSEE, VICKSBURGH, MISS., July 6, 1863.

GENERAL: I have the honor to submit the following report of the operations of the Army of the Tennessee, and cooperating forces, from the date of my assuming the immediate command of the expedition against Vicksburgh, Mississippi, to the reduction of that place.

From the moment of taking command in person, I became satisfied that Vicksburgh could only be turned from the south side, and, in accordance with this conviction, I prosecuted the work on the canal, which had been located by Brig.-Gen. WILLIAMS, across the peninsula, on the Louisiana side of the river, with all vigor, hoping to make a channel which would pass transports for moving the army and carrying supplies to the new base of operations thus provided. The task was much more herculean than it at first appeared, and was made much more so by the almost continuous rains that fell during the whole of the time this work was prosecuted. The river, too, continued to rise and make a large expenditure of labor necessary to keep the water out of our camps and the canal.

Finally, on the 8th of March, the rapid rise of the river and the consequent great pressure upon the dam across the canal, near the upper end, at the main Mississippi levee, caused it to give way and let through the low lands back of our camps a torrent of water that separated the north and south shores of the peninsula as effectually as if the Mississippi flowed between them. This occurred when the enterprise was nearly completed within a short time, where it was thought delay trying to equal a decade. It was found, however, that with the then stage of water, some other plan would have to be adopted for getting below Vicksburg with transports.

Capt. F. E. PARRY, Chief Engineer, and Col. G. G. WRIGHT, who was acting my Staff, proposed a plan through the bayous which run from near Milliken's Bend on the north and New-Carthage on the south, through Roundaway Bayou into the Tensas River. Their report of the practicability of this route determined me to commence work upon it. Having three dredge-boats at the time the work of opening this route was executed with great rapidity. One small steamer and a number of barges were taken through the channel thus opened, but the river commencing falling about the middle of April to fall rapidly, and the road becoming passable between Milliken's Bend and New-Carthage, made it impracticable and unnecessary to open water communication between these points.

Soon after commencing the first canal spoken of, I started a channel to be cut from the Mississippi River into Lake Providence; also one from the Mississippi River into Coldwater, by way of Yazoo Pass.

I had no great expectations of important results from the former of these, but having more troops than could be employed to advantage at Young's Point, and knowing that Lake Providence was connected by Bayou Baxter with Bayou Macon, a navigable stream through which transports might pass into the Mississippi below, through Tensas, Washita and Red Rivers, I thought it possible that a route might be opened in that direction which would enable me to cooperate with Gen. BANKS at Port Hudson.

By the Yazoo Pass route I only expected at first to get into the Yazoo by way of Coldwater and Tallahatchie with some lighter gunboats and a few troops, and destroy the enemy's transports in that stream and some gunboats which I knew he was building. The navigation, however, proved so much better than had been expected that I thought for a time of the possibility of making this the route for obtaining a foothold on high land above Haines' Bluff, Mississippi, and small-class steamers were accordingly ordered for transporting an army that way. Major-Gen. J. B. McPHERSON, commanding Seventeenth army corps, was directed to hold his corps in readiness to move by this route; and one division from each of the Thirteenth and Fifteenth corps were collected near the entrance of the Pass to be added to his command. Soon became evident that a sufficient number of boats of the right class could not be obtained for the movement of more than one division.

While my forces were opening one end of the Pass, the enemy was diligently closing the other end, and in this way succeeded in gaining time to strongly fortify Greenwood, below the junction of the Tallahatchie and Yalobusha. The scheme of the expedition, consisting of one division of McCLERNAND's corps, from Helena, commanded by Brig.-Gen. L. F. ROSS, and the Twelfth and Seventeenth regiments Missouri infantry, from SHERMAN's corps, as sharpshooters on the gunboats, succeeded in reaching Coldwater on the 3d day of March, after much difficulty, and the partial disabling of most of the boats. From the entrance into Coldwater to Fort Pemberton, at Greenwood, Mississippi, no great difficulty of navigation was experienced, nor any interruption of magnitude from the enemy. Fort Pemberton extends from the Tallahatchie to the Yazoo, at Greenwood. Here the two rivers come within a few hundred yards of each other. The land around the fort is low, and at the time of the attack was entirely overflowed. Owing to this fact no movement could be made by the army to reduce it, but all depended upon the ability of the gunboats to silence the guns of the enemy, and enable the transports to run down, and land troops immediately on the fort itself. After an engagement of several hours the gunboats drew off, being unable to silence the batteries. Brig.-Gen. J. P. GRIERSON, commanding a division of McPHERSON's corps, met the expedition under Ross with his division on its return near Fort Pemberton, on the 21st of March, and being the senior, assumed the command of the entire expedition, and returned to the position Ross had occupied.

On the 23d day of March I sent orders for the withdrawal of all the forces operating in that direction, for the purpose of concentrating my army at Milliken's Bend.

On the 14th day of March, Admiral D. D. PORTER, commanding Mississippi Squadron, informed me that he had made a reconnoissance up Steele's Bayou, and partially through Black Bayou toward Deer Creek, and so far as explored these water courses were reported navigable for the smaller iron-clads. Information given mostly, I believe, by the negroes of the country, was to the effect that Deer Creek could be navigated to Rolling Fork, and that from there through the Sunflower to the Yazoo River there was no question about the navigation. On the following morning I accompanied Admiral PORTER in the ram *Lafayette*, several iron-clads preceding us, up through Steele's Bayou to near Black Bayou.

At this time our forces were at a dead-lock at Greenwood, and I looked upon the success of this enterprise as of vast importance. It would, if successful, leave Greenwood between two forces of ours, and necessarily cause the immediate abandonment of that stronghold.

About thirty steamers of the enemy would have been destroyed or fallen into our hands. Seeing that the great obstacles to navigation, so far as I had gone, was from overhanging trees, I left Admiral PORTER near Black Bayou, and pushed back to Young's Point for the purpose of sending forward a pioneer corps to remove these difficulties. Soon after my return to Young's Point Admiral PORTER sent back to me for a cooperating military force. SHERMAN was promptly sent with one division of his corps. The number of steamers suitable for the navigation of these bayous being limited, most of the force was sent up the Mississippi River to Eagle's Bend, a point where the river runs within one mile of Steele's Bayou, thus saving an important part of this difficult navigation. The expedition failed, probably more from want of knowledge as to what would be required to open this route than from any impracticability in the navigation of the streams and bayous through which it was undertaken to be opened. Want of this knowledge led the expedition on until difficulties were encountered, and then it would become necessary to send back to Young's Point for the means of removing them. This gave the enemy time to move forces to effectually checkmate further progress, and the expedition was withdrawn when within a few hundred yards of free and open navigation to the Yazoo.

Attempts may have been providential in driving us ultimately to a line of operations which has proven eminently successful.

For further particulars of the Steele's Bayou expedition, see report of Maj.-Gen. W. T. SHERMAN, forwarded on the 12th of April.

As soon as I decided to open water communication from a point on the Mississippi near Milliken's Bend to New-Carthage, I determined to occupy the latter place, it being the first point below Vicksburgh that could be reached by land at the stage of water then existing, and the occupancy of which, while it secured to us a point on the Mississippi River, would also protect the main line of communication by water. Accordingly, the Thirteenth army corps, Maj.-Gen. J. A. McCLERNAND commanding, was directed to take up its line of march on the 20th day of March for New-Carthage, the Fifteenth and Seventeenth corps to follow, moving no faster than supplies and ammunition could be transported to them.

The roads, though level, were literally bad, and the movement was therefore necessarily slow. Arriving at SMITH's plantation, two miles from New-Carthage, it was found that the levee of Bayou Vidal was broken in several places, thus leaving New-Carthage an island.

All the boats that could be were collected from the different bayous in the vicinity, and others were built, but the transportation of an Army in this way was found exceedingly tedious. Another route had to be found. This was done by making a further march around Vidal to PERKINS' plantation, a distance of twelve miles more, making the whole distance to be marched from Milliken's Bend to reach water communication on the opposite side of the point, thirty-five miles. Over this distance, with bad roads to contend against, supplies of ordnance stores and provisions had to be hauled by wagons with which to commence the campaign on the opposite side of the river.

At the same time that I ordered the occupation of New-Carthage, preparations were made for running transports by the Vicksburgh batteries with Admiral PORTER's gunboat fleet.

On the night of the 16th of April, Admiral PORTER's fleet, and the transports *Silver Wave*, *Forest Queen* and *Henry Clay*, and the barges in tow, passed the batteries of the town with but little injury to any thing or person. The *Henry Clay* and one barge were somewhat damaged by being set afire by the burning cotton with which the boilers of the latter were protected. Most of the cotton bales used for this purpose had been taken from the barges in tow, and in the hurry of the occasion were not all removed. Many stores were lost on board.

All these boats were struck more or less frequently while passing the enemy's batteries, and the *Henry Clay*, by the explosion of a shell or by other means, was set on fire and entirely consumed. The other two boats were somewhat injured, but not seriously disabled. No one on board of either was hurt.

As these boats succeeded in getting by so well, I ordered six more to be prepared in like manner for running the batteries. These latter, viz.: *Tigress*, *Anglo Saxon*, *Cheesman*, *Empire City*, *Horizonia* and *Moderator*, left Milliken's Bend on the night of the 22d of April, and five of them got by, but in a somewhat damaged condition. The *Tigress* received a shot in her hull below the waterline, and sank on the Louisiana shore soon after passing the last of the batteries. The crews of these steamers, with the exception of that of the *Forest Queen*, Capt. D. CORWAN, and the *Silver Wave*, Capt. McMILLAN, were composed of volunteers from the army. Upon the call for volunteers for this dangerous enterprise, officers and men presented themselves by hundreds, anxious to undertake the trip. The names of those whose services were accepted will be given in a separate report.

It is a striking feature, so far as my observation goes, of the present volunteer army of the United States, that there is nothing which men are called upon to do, mechanical or professional, that accomplished adepts cannot be found for the duty required in almost every regiment.

The transports injured in running the blockade were repaired by order of Admiral PORTER, who was supplied with the material for such repairs as they required, and who was and is ever ready to afford all the assistance in his power for the furtherance of the success of our arms. In every short time five of the transports were in running order, and the remainder were in a condition to be used as barges in the moving of troops. Twelve barges loaded with forage and rations were sent in tow of the last six boats that run the blockade; one half of them got through in a condition to be used.

Owing to the limited number of transports below Vicksburgh, it was found necessary to extend our line of land travel to Hard Times, La., which, by the circuitous route it was necessary to take, increased the distance to about seventy miles from Milliken's Bend, our starting point.

The Thirteenth army corps being all through to the Mississippi and the Seventeenth army corps well on the way, so much of the Thirteenth as could be got on board the transports and barges, were put aboard and moved to the front of Grand Gulf on the 29th of April. The plan here was that the navy should silence the guns of the enemy, and the troops land under cover of the gunboats, and carry the place by storm.

At 8 o'clock A. M. the Navy made the attack, and kept it up for more than five hours in the most gallant manner. From a tug out in the stream I witnessed the whole engagement. Many times it seemed to me the gunboats were within pistol-shot of the enemy's batteries. It soon became evident that the guns of the enemy were too elevated and their fortifications too strong to be taken from the water-side. The whole range of hills on that side were known to be lined with rifle-pits, besides the field artillery could be moved to any position where it could be made useful in case of an attempt at landing. This determined me to again run the enemy's batteries, turn his position by effecting a landing at Rodney, or at Bruinsburgh, between Grand Gulf and Rodney. Accordingly, orders were immediately given for the troops to debark at Hard Times, La., and march across to the plain immediately below Grand Gulf. At dark the gunboats again engaged the batteries, and all the transports run by, receiving but two or three shots in the passage, and these without injury. I had some time previously ordered a reconnoissance to a point opposite Bruinsburgh, to ascertain, if possible, from persons in the neighborhood, the character of the road leading to the highlands back of Bruinsburgh. During the night, I learned from a negro man that there was a good road from Bruinsburgh to Port Gibson, which determined me to land there.

The work of ferrying the troops to Bruinsburg was commenced at daylight in the morning, the gunboats as well as transports being used for the purpose.

As soon as the thirteenth army corps was landed, and could draw three days' rations to put in haversacks, (no wagons were allowed to come until the troops were all over,) they were started on the road to Port Gibson. I deemed it a matter of vast importance that the highlands should be reached without resistance.

The Seventeenth corps followed as rapidly as it could be put across the river.

About 3 o'clock on the 1st of May, the advance of the enemy was met eight miles from Bruinsburgh, on the road to Port Gibson. He was forced to fall back, but as it was dark, he was not pursued far until daylight. Early on the morning of the 1st I went out, accompanied by members of my Staff, and found McCLERNAND with his corps engaging the enemy about four miles from Port Gibson. At this point the roads branched in exactly opposite directions, both, however, leading to Port Gibson. The enemy had taken position on both branches, thus dividing, as he fell back the pursuing forces. The nature of the ground in that part of the country is such that a very small force could retard the progress of a much larger one for many hours. The roads usually run on narrow, elevated ridges, with deep and impenetrable ravines on either side. On the right were the divisions of HOVEY, CASS, and SMITH, and on the left the division of OSTERHAUS, of McCLERNAND's corps. The three former succeeded in driving the enemy from position to position back toward Port Gibson steadily all day.

OSTERHAUS did not, however, move the enemy from the position occupied by him on our left until LOGAN's division of McPHERSON's corps arrived.

McCLERNAND, who was with the right in person, sent repeated messages to me before the arrival of LOGAN to send LOGAN and QUINBY's divisions of McPHERSON's corps to him.

I had been on that as well as all other parts of the field, and could not see how they could be used there to advantage. However, as soon as the advance of McPHERSON's corps (LOGAN's division) arrived, I sent one brigade, Brig.-Gen. J. E. SMITH Commanding, to the left to the assistance of OSTERHAUS.

By the judicious disposition made of this brigade, under the immediate supervision of McPHERSON and LOGAN, a position was soon obtained giving us an advantage which soon drove the enemy from that part of the field, to make no further stand south of Bayou Pierre.

The enemy was here repulsed with a heavy loss in killed, wounded, and prisoners. The repulse of the enemy on our left took place late in the afternoon. He was pursued toward Port Gibson, but night coming in, and the enemy making the appearance of another stand, the troops slept upon their arms until daylight.

In the morning it was found that the enemy had retreated across Bayou Pierre, on the Grand Gulf road, and a brigade of LOGAN's division was sent to divert his attention while a floating bridge was being built across Bayou Pierre, immediately at Port Gibson. This bridge was completed, eight miles marched by McPHERSON's corps to the north fork of Bayou Pierre, that stream bridged, and the advance of this corps commenced passing over it at 5 o'clock the following morning.

On the 2d the enemy was pursued to Hawkinson's Ferry, with slight skirmishing all day, during which we took quite a number of prisoners, mostly stragglers from the enemy.

Finding that Grand Gulf had been evacuated, and that the advance of my forces was already fifteen miles out from there, and on the road, too, they would have to take to reach either Vicksburgh, Jackson, or any intermediate point on the railroad between the two places, I determined not to march them back, but taking a small escort of cavalry, some fifteen or twenty men, I went to the gulf myself, and made the necessary arrangements for changing my base of supplies from Bruinsburgh to Grand Gulf.

In moving from Milliken's Bend, the Fifteenth army corps, Maj.-Gen. W. T. SHERMAN commanding, was left to be the last to start. To prevent heavy reinforcements going from Vicksburgh to the assistance of the Grand Gulf forces, I directed SHERMAN to make a demonstration on Haines' Bluff, and to make all the show possible. From information since received from prisoners captured this ruse succeeded admirably.

It had been my intention, up to the time of crossing the Mississippi river, to collect all my forces at Grand Gulf, and get on hand a good supply of provisions and ordnance stores before moving, and in the meantime to detach an army corps to cooperate with General BANKS on Port Hudson and effect a junction of our forces.

About this time I received a letter from General BANKS giving his position west of the Mississippi river, and stating that he could return to Baton Rouge by the 10th of May or that by the reduction of Port Hudson he could join me with 15,000 men.

I learned about the same time that troops were expected at Jackson from the southern cities, with Gen. BEAUREGARD in command. To delay until the 10th of May, and for the reduction of Port Hudson after that, the accession of 12,000 men would not leave me relatively so strong as to move promptly with what I had. Information received from day to day of the movements of the enemy also impelled me to the course pursued. While lying at Hawkinson's Ferry waiting for wagons, supplies, and SHERMAN's corps, which had come forward in the meantime, demonstrations were made, successfully I believe, to induce the enemy to think that route and the one by Hall's Ferry above were objects of much solicitude to me. Reconnoissances were made to the west side of the Big Black to within six miles of Warrenton. On the 7th of May an advance was ordered, McPHERSON's corps keeping the road nearest Black River to Rocky Springs, McCLERNAND's corps keeping the ridge road from Willow Springs, and SHERMAN following with his corps divided on the two roads. All the fortics were closely guarded until our troops were well advanced. It was my intention here to hug the Black River as closely as possible with McCLERNAND's and SHERMAN's corps, and get them to the railroad, at some place between Edward's Station and Bolton. McPHERSON was to move by way of Utica to Raymond, and from thence into Jackson, destroying the railroad, telegraph, public stores, &c., and push west to attack the main force. Orders were given to McPHERSON accordingly. SHERMAN was moved forward on the Edward's Station road, crossing Fourteen Mile Creek at Dillon's Plantation; McCLERNAND was moved across the same creek, farther west, leaving one division of his corps by the Baldwin's Ferry road as far as the river. At the crossing of Fourteen Mile Creek both McCLERNAND and SHERMAN had considerable skirmishing with the enemy's advance, driving them back.

McPHERSON met the enemy near Raymond two brigades strong under GARDE and WALKER, on the same day engaged him, and after several hours hard fighting drove him with heavy loss in killed, wounded and prisoners. Many were seen to throw their arms and desert.

My position at this time was with SHERMAN's corps, some seven miles west of Raymond, and about the centre of the army.

On the night of the 12th of May, after orders had been given for the corps of McCLERNAND and SHERMAN to march toward the railroad by parallel roads—the former in the direction of Edwards' Station, and the latter to a point on the railroad between Edward's Station and Bolton—the order was changed, and both were directed to move toward Raymond.

This was in consequence of the enemy having retreated toward Jackson after his defeat at Raymond, and of information that reinforcements were daily arriving at Jackson, and that Gen. Joe JOHNSTON was hourly expected there to take command in person. I, therefore, determined to make sure of that place and leave no enemy in my rear.

McPHERSON moved on the 13th to Clinton, destroyed the railroad and telegraph, and captured some important dispatches from Gen. PEMBERTON to Gen. GARDE, who had commanded the day before in the battle of Raymond. SHERMAN moved to a parallel position on the Mississippi Springs and Jackson road; McCLERNAND moved to a point near Raymond.

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Such a disproportion is fully explained by the facts. The greater part of the persons doing business in the two cities, whether on their own account or in the employ of others, were enrolled twice, and some were enrolled three or four times each. It can be proved, by an overwhelming mass of testimony, that enrolling officers went to places where men were employed of the business away from their homes, demanded and took the names of all the persons there, notwithstanding they were already enrolled at their homes, and, while so doing, refused to add the residences to the names they took. By this course, persons residing not only in different districts, but also in other counties and States, were wrongly enrolled at their places of business. So also every person who was not manifestly under 20 or over 45 years of age was enrolled. A statement of an officer of one of the districts of the Conscription Act did not hesitate to make the physical signs were so convincing that it would have been absurd to reject them, and in some cases even than they were not accepted. Beside these, the aliens in the two cities, a host in themselves, were enrolled, as though they were citizens, and like citizens, most of them two, three, or four times each. In some cases the poll-lists were copied, and infirm men, some even past three score years and ten, were swept into the enrollment.

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The effect upon individuals is illustrated by a case which I will cite. On my return from Washington I obtained, in the cars, a copy of a leading Administration journal, for which some person writes over the signature of "Carl Benson," in favor of the speedy and relentless enforcement of the draft. In it there appears a communication, in substance, that by the delay he was detained in the City in danger of a possible drawing of his name. He says: "I am one of a household of five males, all of the others aliens, and myself physically disqualified. No matter, we are on the books, and cannot be taken off until after the draft." Without relief, the effect of the enrollment of these five persons, none of whom could be made to serve, would be, although none of them were drawn, to require positively some other man wrongfully to serve as a conscript. With relief, the enrollment of the four aliens, if the names are forty drawn, will do no harm; but the diseased man, if he is drawn, hobbles to the enrolling office, and compels some other man, perhaps in some respects less able, to endure, in his place, somewhat greater hardship and danger than a continued sojourn amid the enjoyments of home.

I pause here to notice a statement in some of the public prints that the draft is heavier in the City of New-York, because the City is behind in its supply of volunteers. It would be a sufficient answer to state again the fact that, in no district of this or any other State, is there any addition to the number of conscripts required, by reason of any such deficiency.

It is my wish to go further, and render the charge that is one to the City of New-York, especially to some of the journals printed within its limits are striving to defame it. Such imputations are based upon statements of the volunteers furnished since the 2d of July, 1862. The work of the City of New-York was mainly done before that day. When the Union was assailed and its flag fired upon by armed traitors, the people of the City, though they had voted, two to one, against the Administration, answered them with an unprecedented enthusiasm and unanimity to supply the Administration, most abundantly, with men and means. Before the 2d of July, 1862, the volunteers raised in the City of New-York were fifty-one regiments of infantry, six regiments of cavalry, one battalion mounted rifles, one regiment of engineers, one regiment, two battalions and seven batteries of heavy artillery, one regiment of marine artillery and one rocket battery—making a total of 83,244 men. In all the rest of the State there were raised, before July 2, 1862, thirty-seven regiments of infantry, four regiments of cavalry, and one regiment, one battalion and two batteries of heavy artillery, being a total of 36,219 men. I will deduct one-fourth of the gross raised in New-York, a very liberal amount, for volunteers from Brooklyn, which latter city, though it raised four regiments beside, in furnishing volunteers, as it is in most other respects, was one community with New-York. I make no allowance for volunteers from other places, because they would not equal in number those for other counties and States recruited in New-York. This deduction would reduce the number of volunteers furnished by New-York City to 40,166. The total of the quotas of this City, upon the basis of population, (the worst basis for the City,) under all the calls for volunteers was 35,565. Of course, as the City was well credited before July 2, 1862, it did no comparatively little afterwards. It has furnished since, however, at the very least, 10,000 volunteers, beside the repeated temporary service of its militia; all of which, in addition to the excess of 1,601 before July 2, 1862, is over and above its quota of all calls for volunteers previous to the Conscription act.

To show that the discrepancies I have shown are occasioned by differences of population between the City and the country, I am fortunately able to contrast the enrollment and draft for New-York with those for Philadelphia, the next largest city in the Union. In Philadelphia the enrollment for the first class is 80,234, being 9 5-10 per cent. of the population, and in New-York 127,894, being slightly over 16 6-10 per cent. The difference against New-York is almost six per cent. This proves that if the enrollment in Philadelphia is correct, then the enrollment in New-York is fifty per cent. too large. Upon the vote of last Fall, the draft in Philadelphia will be to every four voters, and in New-York one to every three. This extra imposition upon New-York is in spite of the fact that an allowance is made to New-York for an excess of volunteers, while Philadelphia is not entitled to any allowance of the kind.

The comparisons above made are not so unfavorable to those by whom the enrollment was controlled as to prove intentional wrong. The discrepancies might, in charity, be ascribed to the greater incompetency, carelessness or ever-zeal of some of the enrolling officers compared with others. I regret to be compelled to say that the real truth of the case is so bad as to be inconsistent with any other conclusion than that of intentional fraud, as I will prove most conclusively.

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Contrary to the popular belief, the census returns show that, in the State of New-York, in the cities, there is a greater number of females than of males, and in the agricultural counties, a greater number of males than of females. There are sixty counties in the State. In twenty of these there are more females than males. In only four of the twenty does the excess of females amount to 1,000, and these four include the Cities of New-York, Brooklyn, Albany and Troy. In New-York the excess of females is 58,000.

There is a like error prevailing in respect to the comparative numbers of males of middle age in the City and in the country. In the City of New-York the male inhabitants from 20 to 45 years of age are 14 3-10 per cent. of its whole population, and in the rest of the State the males from 20 to 45 years of age are 16 7-10 per cent. of the whole population.

Having shown that it is not true, in either of the two respects in which it is generally supposed to be, that the number of persons liable to service under the Conscription act is proportionately larger in the city than in the country, I now state a reason why the proportion of persons liable to conscription is much smaller in the city than in the country. It is the comparatively greater number of aliens in the city. More than one-third of the inhabitants of the City of New-York are aliens by birth, and a large portion of these, even of the males, are not naturalized. In no other it is very large in Kings and Albany, and large in Erie, Monroe, Onondaga, Oneida, Rensselaer, Richmond, Saratoga, Schenectady and Westchester. In other States, and if more is not taken, in localities where this has not been the case, to subject the ward or town had the benefit of the rule I will presently cite in such places will be subjected to an unjust share of the burden of the conscription.

Aliens are not liable to the conscription, though they make good soldiers. Such persons have formed a large portion of our armies. I believe that the City of New-York has sent at least 75,000 resident volunteers to the war, which it could not have done without the service of aliens. No alien, however, will consent to be forced into the army as a conscript. If willing to serve, he will add to the credit of voluntary service, the bounty he can obtain as a volunteer, or the premium as a substitute.

Aliens do not vote, and therefore we must refer to the number of votes cast in the respective districts to measure the correctness of the number of conscripts required. Before I do this, I will notice the respects in which the liability to the conscription differs in the State, from the right to vote.

1. Negroes are embraced in the conscription, but, with the rare exception of freeholders, they cannot vote. However, the number of male negroes from 20 to 35 years of age, in the whole State, is less than 6,000. The proportion of negroes to the whole population is larger in some other counties than New-York. In the latter it varies but slightly from the proportion in the whole State. I may as well state here that, as negroes are included in the conscription, they are also included in all the tables and computations of this report.

2. Aliens who have declared their intention to become citizens. There is never a large number of these, and many of them have been driven away by the warning of the President's proclamation. I do not believe that there are 5,000 such persons enrolled in the whole State.

3. Minors over twenty years of age. There was a very large number of these in the State, but a large portion of them have volunteered. By the census of 1860 the proportion of this class to the whole population is 66-100 of one per cent. in the City of New-York and one 10-100 in the rest of the State; or, in other words, they are 15-100 of one per cent. less numerous in the City of New-York than in the rest of the State. The advocates of justice to the City can give their opponents the benefit of this advantage.

On the other extreme, persons over 45 years of age are exempt from conscription. As in respect to minors, there is no essential variation in the proportionate numbers of the City and country.

I have shown that there is no reason why the number of persons liable to conscription should not, in every part of the State, bear about the same proportion to the number of voters. I will now give the total vote for President in 1860, in each District to which a quota of conscripts has been assigned, and also the number of conscripts required. In doing so, I place the Districts which gave a majority for Mr. LINCOLN in one column, and those which gave a majority against him in another:

1860.

LINCOLN DISTRICTS. District.	Total vote.	Conc. req'd.	ANTI-LINCOLN DISTRICTS. District.	Total vote.	Conc. req'd.
XIII	22,664	2,013	I	19,196	2,213
XIII	18,668	2,000	II	27,139	2,148
XV	26,540	2,376	III	17,527	2,057
XVI	17,167	1,849	IV	19,622	2,367
XVII	26,874	1,816	V	19,321	2,339
XVIII	27,309	2,310	VI	17,966	1,629
XIX	20,162	2,267	VII	14,928	2,450
XX	20,264	2,448	VIII	19,440	1,893
XXI	21,519	1,748	IX	21,271	2,821
XXII	22,005	2,058			
XXIII	24,270	2,600	Totals	193,382	19,729
XXIV	26,497	2,202			
XXV	22,315	1,968			
XXVI	25,548	2,152			
XXVII	27,679	2,419			
XXVIII	24,304	2,061			
XXIX	22,841	1,767			
XXX	23,313	2,330			
XXXI	21,616	1,726			
Totals	497,251	39,426			

(The three districts to which a quota has not been assigned each gave an Anti-LINCOLN majority.)

The nine Anti-Lincoln districts are required to furnish nearly as many conscripts as the nineteen Lincoln districts, although the latter polled more than three times the number of votes. Nothing, in respect to the draft, could be more startling than this conclusive exhibit.

To show that the result is not to be, in any degree, attributed to any special circumstances attending the election of 1860, I also give a similar statement in respect to the election last Fall.

1862.

SEYMOUR DISTRICTS. District.	Total Vote.	Conc. req'd.	WADSWORTH DISTRICTS. District.	Total Vote.	Conc. req'd.
I	17,664	2,212	XV	23,119	2,376
II	16,668	4,126	XVI	14,624	1,849
III	16,421	2,027	XVII	17,686	1,816
IV	19,826	2,601	XVIII	26,660	2,310
V	17,335	2,339	XIX	20,421	2,267
VI	13,853	1,629	XX	20,564	2,448
VII	12,370	2,450	XXI	19,668	1,748
VIII	16,976	1,893	XXII	21,180	2,058
IX	11,410	2,821	XXIII	22,464	2,600
XII	19,241	2,013	XXIV	20,076	2,202
XIII	18,658	2,600	XXV	19,776	1,968
XXX	21,432	2,330	XXVI	22,655	2,152
			XXVII	23,528	2,419
			XXVIII	20,860	2,061
			XXIX	20,262	1,767
			XXXI	19,954	1,726
Totals	195,760	40,207	Totals	383,631	39,026

(The three omitted districts each gave a Seymour majority.)

Twelve SEYMOUR districts are required to bear a much larger draft than sixteen WADSWORTH districts polling nearly double the number of votes.

The 21 district, Brooklyn, and the six districts in New-York City, the 4th to the 9th, polling 92,603 votes, being only about one-sixth of the whole number, are required to furnish 20,920 conscripts, being about two-fifths of the whole number. That is, seven districts are to furnish two-fifths of the conscripts, and twenty-one districts, three-fifths.

In further proof of the fact that the City of New-York has furnished more than its quota of volunteers, it may be noted that in the six districts of of that City, the average falling off of the total vote in 1862, from the total vote of 1860, was 3,122, while in the other twenty-five districts in the State, the average falling off was only 2,196, nearly 1,000 less. The whole truth is even stronger than this, for never, of late years, has an election in the City been so generally attended as was the one in 1862. The City contains nearly 250 election districts, and in each of these, scores came up to register themselves who had not voted in many years. In some cases there were fifty such persons in a district, and some of them had not voted in twenty years.

I have purposely made the above statements by political classifications. Many persons express a great dislike of political divisions at the present time. The President, especially, in a letter to the officers of an Albany Democratic meeting, deplored the fact that it was a war of Democrats. Facts, however, cannot be destroyed by concealment. The enrollment is a partisan enrollment, and it is better to show that it is so, while its political discriminations can be corrected. I have confidence in the President that he will be so true to the sentiment which excepted to a Democratic meeting, as to compel the abandonment of the attempt to use the Conscription act as an engine of wrong and oppression to the Democratic party.

In some districts there are omissions, more or less numerous, from the enrollment. The political preferences of the persons omitted need not be stated, nor need those who do not approve of the policy of the Administration even express a regret. Col. FRY says, in his letter, that in such cases "the General Government is alone the loser." This is not strictly correct. The omissions are most numerous in districts largely in favor of the policy of the Administration, and by the under enrollment, the people of those Districts are deprived of an opportunity to do their equal share of the fighting in the field, to sustain the policy they indorse by large majorities at the ballot-box.

In respect to the Democratic districts, and especially the City of New-York, the case is different. There has been a manifest design to take out of that City, by conscription, the greater part of its large Democratic majority. This is evident not only from the character of the enrollment, but also from the fact that, as far as the draft proceeded, the names drawn were mainly those of Democrats. This is an ungenerous course toward a city which has contributed so liberally, in every respect, to the support of the Federal Government. Those who originated it failed to perceive, or else they did not care, that, if twenty-five thousand able-bodied men could be forced out of the City of New-York, it would interfere with the business operations of the metropolis, to an extent that would not only cripple the national cause, but also be felt throughout all the States true to the Union.

This scheme of fraud has certainly been conceived and prosecuted without the knowledge of the Provost-Marshal General. I found that gentleman not only ready to supply the fullest information, but also anxious to obtain a knowledge of every wrong or injustice. The President also was decided in the expression of his views to the same effect, and was earnest and emphatic in the assurances he desired me to convey to you, that every substantial wrong or error pointed out to him should be corrected. We must look to the irresponsible cabal outside, which has often perverted the present contest to uses worse than partizan, for the source of this iniquity. It is now fully exposed. If justice is done, it will be corrected; if not, whether it is carried out with more or less success, it will remain in history as a gigantic political fraud.

How shall the wrong be corrected? The Conscription act evidently intended that the enrollment should be purged before the draft, but this course has not been pursued. Without it a new enrollment would not be effective to remedy the wrong. Col. FRY, upon my pointing out the over-enrollment, immediately suggested the remedy which he has expressed in his letter, and has since carried out, partially, in a circular to his subordinates. In his letter he says that non-residents and aliens, "if drawn in the draft, will be discharged, and their places are not to be filled by the district, the fifty per cent. additional to the quota being called only to supply vacancies caused by exemptions granted under the law to residents of the district."

I understand this rule to be founded on the principle that the place of no person wrongly enrolled and drawn is to be supplied, and that the fifty per cent. additional is only to make good the exemptions allowed by the second section of the Conscription act. If so, the draft of persons of the following classes

1. Persons not residing in the districts in which they are drawn.

2. Aliens who have not declared their intention to become citizens.

3. Persons under twenty, or over forty-five years of age, or, if married, over thirty-five.

4. Persons in the military service of the United States on the 3d of March, 1863.

5. Unknown persons. If this enrollment was fictious, of course it should amount to nothing; if it was not, the law makes the enrolled person a deserter, and puts upon the Government the duty of obtaining his services.

I further understand that, by Col. FRY's rule, the fifty per cent. additional draft is to be used only to supply vacancies caused by the drawing of persons not embraced in either of the above classes, but who are exempted under the second section of the Conscription act; such persons being of the following classes, and none other, viz.:

1. Those physically or mentally unfit.

2. The only sons, or one of the sons, if there be more than one, of aged, infirm or widowed parents, and the only brothers of orphan, and the fathers of motherless children, in the cases specified in the act.

3. Two persons from every family and household of father and sons, from which two persons have already been supplied to the military service of the United States.

The distinction between the classes of places to be supplied, and of places not to be supplied, should be clearly and fully understood, and then, *if the draft is fairly made*, the wrong of over-enrollment will be substantially remedied. If the enrolled names are all put in the wheel and fairly drawn, the number of names drawn of those who were liable to enrollment in the district and of those who were not, will bear about the same proportion to the total number of the names of each class put in the wheel. There is never such a result as the drawing of a material disproportion of any particular class, if a draft is fair. Persons in the same family or business may be drawn, as adjoining numbers may be in a lottery, because the rule of chance requires such instances. Now, if the enrollment, by a draft of figures or of letters, that those drawn were all from the greater or all from the lesser numbers, or all from the first or all from the last half of the alphabet. So in a draft of names, those drawn will be, in respect to all divisions, in a proportion about the same as that of the numbers of the same classes subjected to the draft.

It is of primary importance, therefore, that the names should be fairly drawn. In the drawing in the Ninth District, which is in the City of New-York, so far as the list was published, there was a great disproportion of the names of people of a particular lineage, although only one-fourth of the inhabitants of the district were born in Ireland. I called the attention of the President to this fact, and suggested to him that such a result could not be continued throughout the City, without being followed by a belief in the public mind that the draft had been unfairly made. He answered: "Of course not," and added, with an earnestness I was glad to observe, "will not permit either a real or an apparent fraud."

The following regulations for drawing the names will prevent any possibility of fraud:

1. Print the enrollment list of each ward and town in order that the public may know what names are to be put in the wheel. As the lists are made out in the alphabetical order of the initial letters of the surnames, the only trouble or delay will be in the printing.

2. Have the drawing made by a person to be selected by the local authorities; and each name so drawn read aloud and recorded.

3. After the draft for conscripts is concluded, continue the drawing until all the names are drawn, in order to prove that all were in the wheel.

4. If the drawing of a town or ward is not finished at one session, confine the wheel during the recess to the joint custody of the Provost-Marshal and some party to be selected by the local authorities.

The foregoing regulations may be sufficient. They are in the spirit of circular No. 41 of the Provost-Marshal-General, though more full and comprehensive. I cannot doubt, especially in view of the assurances of the President, that upon application they will be established.

I have reviewed this matter fully, though at greater length than I expected. A large portion of our people believe that the Conscription act is unconstitutional, but such can be reconciled by a decision of the proper Court, if it sustains the law; if either who the law must be abandoned. Those, however, who claim that the law is unfairly and unjustly administered, can only be satisfied by the adoption of a fair course of proceeding. This I am desirous to secure, and I hope my labors to that end may be beneficial to my fellow-citizens, and useful to you in the discharge of your arduous duties.

I remain, very respectfully and truly, yours, &c.,
SELDEN J. WATERBURY,
Judge Advocate-General.

LETTER FROM THE PROVOST-MARSHAL-GENERAL.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
PROVOST-MARSHAL-GENERAL'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, D. C., July 28, 1863.

To His Excellency Horatio Seymour, Governor of New-York, Albany, N. Y.:

SIR: I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt this day of your note, by the hand of Gen. WADSWORTH, of your State, requesting that I will send by him a few statements in relation to the rules upon which the draft is made.

I have given to Gen. WADSWORTH as full verbal information as he desired, on all points connected with the draft, and have furnished him with transcripts from such of the records of my office as he deemed of importance to you. I presume he will communicate fully with you in regard to the interview we have held; but there are one or two points which it may be best for me to notice in this letter.

The enrollment has, so far as I can judge, been made in accordance with the law, and is as nearly correct as it should, in the nature of things, have been made; in its main features it is the City of New-York it agrees very well with the enrollment made last year by Gen. ARTHUR.

No given number of men has been fixed as the quota of men to be drafted from the United States or any particular State. The rule is to take one-fifth of the enrolled men of the first class in each and every Congressional District as the quota for that district, without regard to other districts of the State, or to other States. If in the enrollment of a district, names that should have been entered are omitted through neglect, accident or design, the General Government is alone the loser, as it calls for one-fifth of the enrolled men of the first class in that district, whether it be many or few. It is in this particular that the imperfections of the enrollment are to be found, but, as stated, no district or class of men suffer from it.

It may be, however, though I don't think it is the case to any great extent, that in some districts non-residents and aliens have been enrolled; but if such is the case, no hardship to the district or people is likely to arise from it, as all such, if drawn in the draft, will be discharged, and their places are not to be filled by the district, the fifty per cent. additional to the quota being called only to supply vacancies caused by exemptions granted under the law to residents of the district.

In assigning quotas to districts of States, which States have heretofore furnished an excess of troops, the said excess is distributed pro rata among the districts, and deducted from their quotas.

You will perceive from the foregoing that whether the enrollment is or is not perfect, no injustice or hardship results to the people of the states or districts by the method adopted of assigning quotas, though the General Government will not get so many men as it would if the enrollment could be made absolutely perfect.

Errors will be corrected whenever they may be discovered or pointed out.

I am, sir, very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,
JAMES B. FRY, Provost-Marshal General.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

The Funeral of Police Officer McIntyre.

The funeral of Policeman McINTYRE, who died on the 10th inst., from the effects of injuries received at the hands of the mob, while he was discharging his duty as a member of the Twenty-ninth Precinct force, took place from Police Headquarters, No. 300 Mulberry-street, at 9 o'clock yesterday morning. Superintendent KENNEDY, Commissioner ACTON, Inspectors CARPENTER and DILKS were in attendance. A force of three hundred policemen acted as an escort. The procession moved from headquarters to Broadway, up Broadway to Thirty-fourth-street and down Thirty-fourth-street to the ferry, in the following order:

Section of Police.
Dodworth's Band.
Commissioner Acton, Superintendent Kennedy, Inspector Carpenter.
Capt. Copelane, Drill Instructor.
6th Company, Capt. Mount.
7th Company, Capt. Brever.
8th Company, Capt. Caffrey.
5th Company, Capt. Byrne.
4th Company, Capt. Petty.
2d Company, Capt. Thorne.
1st Company, Capt. Jourdan.
Guard of Honor, consisting of 29th Precinct Police, 30 men and two Sergeants.

PALLBEARERS.		PALLBEARERS.
Inspector Dilks.		Capt. Cameron.
Capt. Hedden.	HEARSE.	Sergt. Mangin.
Sergt. Wilsen.		Roundm'n Hopkins.

Capt. Speight.
Carriages containing relatives and friends.

Relief for the Colored People.

The following letter has been issued by the "Merchants' Relief Committee for Suffering Colored People:"

NEW-YORK, Aug. 12, 1863.

This Committee, having relieved the immediate wants of the colored people who sustained loss in consequence of the late riots, do not think it advisable to continue the distribution of money at the Central Depot, No. 250 Fourth-street, any longer than is absolutely necessary. No money will, therefore, be given after Saturday, the 22d inst., except after a *personal visit to the applicant, and a report of the case* to the Committee.

The Committee would urge upon the colored people the danger of relying upon charity, and advise them to seek employment as soon as possible, thus justifying the good opinion which has been expressed

THE METROPOLITAN POLICE.

THEIR SERVICES DURING THE RIOT WEEK.

THEIR HONORABLE RECORD.

NUMBER SEVENTEEN.
NINETEENTH PRECINCT.

Capt. G. T. PORTER, East Fifty-ninth-street, near Third-avenue. The riots commenced in this Precinct, an excited crowd collecting about 9 o'clock A. M. at the Provost-Marshal's office, corner of Forty-sixth-street and Third-avenue. This was soon swelled by arrivals from all directions, until thousands had assembled, many of them armed with clubs and other weapons and all demonstrative of mischief. Capt. PORTER repaired to the office, stationing a portion of his force—in all sixty men—in front and the balance inside of the building. The drafting commenced at 10¼ A. M., and was uninterrupted for some twenty minutes. Meantime the mob outside increased to huge proportions, were feeding their excitement with threats and execrations, and suddenly turned their attention to the Third-avenue cars, one of which was passing down. The cry "Stop the cars" was raised, a rush was made, the drivers taken off, horses detached and the passengers compelled to abdicate, two of them relieved of their watches; a section of the Police went to the rescue, and were assailed with clubs and stones, overpowered and driven back. Having committed the first overt act the mob became frenzied, and at once made a rush on to the Marshals' office, assailing the force on the street, driving them into the building, and showering into the windows stones and all kinds of missiles. To fight or to keep at bay the thousands was an impossibility. The Marshal and his clerks, with the Police, were driven back with clubs through the building and escaped from the rear. In a few moments the furniture was destroyed, piled up and fired, and the building was in flames so speedily that two families living up stairs barely escaped with their lives. The Police repaired to the adjoining buildings and attempted to save the property in them, but they were returned attacked and driven away. The flames reached the scene, but were prevented from doing any injury. The Chief Engineer was present and addressed the mob, urging them to allow the firemen to go to work. Meantime the fire had spread rapidly, and three of a row of brick buildings were in flames; the mob yielded to Chief DECKER's appeal, the companies went to work and the fourth house was saved. It was about this time that the rioters made the first serious demonstrations against the Police. Hitherto in the progress to arson and pillage, they had driven them back, but had not concentrated against them; now they massed on the Third-avenue and made a furious attack on the force, with pistols, clubs and stones. Very soon Officer COON was knocked down and seriously injured, and several others badly hurt. The aid sent to Capt. PORTER from below could not reach him and were themselves engaged with another portion of the mob; resistance against the overwhelming numbers was madness, and after a brief but severe fight the force broke and fled, the mob masters of the situation. The force rallied at the Station-house, and, in citizen's dress, revisited the section where they were defeated, and succeeded in bringing off those of the injured who had remained there. In the evening the entire force were ordered to headquarters, and were with Sergeant COPELAND's command, to Clarkson-street, for the recovery of the body of a colored man murdered there.

Tuesday, a portion of the Nineteenth, under Sergts. BURNSIDE and HOLMES, were with Inspector DILKS' command on its expedition to Second-avenue and Twenty-second-street, and were engaged in the severe and obstinate fight there. Subsequently, under Sergts. BURNSIDE and FULMER, a portion resisted that vicinity with Capt. HEDDEN' command, and were again participants in another severe engagement, and were of the storming party which carried the building filled with rioters. Wednesday, daylight on Wednesday, Capt. PORTER took his command, and made a tour through the Thirteenth and Seventeenth Wards, and later they were with force sent to recover the body of the colored man murdered at Seventh-avenue and Thirty-second-street. About noon, Sergt. BURNSIDE, withsquad, made an onslaught upon a gang at Gouldy and Thompson, who were bent on destruction of dwellings therehouts. A brisk charge and liberal use of the locusts sent them in all directions.

On Thursday the force was returned to its own Precinct, where Sergeant DECKER had, with two or three men, been left in command.

The Nineteenth was the force first attacked by the rioters and they were in all of the principal engagements. The officers sent most commendatory mention in responding to calls upon them, and a steady courage throughout which rendered them reliable and valuable.

TWENTIETH PRECINCT.

Capt. G. W. WALLING, No. 303 West Thirty-fifth-street.

Early Monday the reserve of the Twentieth were sent to the Seventh-avenue Arsenal, where it remained till noon, and in the afternoon Capt. WALLING, with Sergeants ROONEY and CAREY, reported at Headquarters with force. In the evening made an expedition to the Eighth Ward, which was found quiet, and thence reported to Inspector LEONARD, at the City Hall. Were engaged in the scouting expeditions sent out by the Inspector, and in the guard-duty done in the vicinity of the Station-house, and were returned to Central Office. From here made an expedition to Pitt-street, but too late to have a hand in punishing the mob. The military, a short time before, having met, fired upon and killed a number of them. On return to headquarters this force were sent to the upper part of the City, in the vicinity of the Twentieth Ward, where the mobs were reported as having it all their own way. ALLEMANN's Hotel, Eleventh-avenue, between Fortieth and Forty-first-street, had been sacked and burned; a body of military had been beaten, many of the soldiers wounded, and a number of their guns taken away. Hearing that the Sixth-avenue Railroad stables were being attacked, Capt. WALLING hurried with his force to them. The report proved untrue, but he received information that the rioters were in Forty-seventh-street, near Fifth-avenue, attacking the five private residences there. Thither the force went on the double quick, coming with a rush upon the rear of the portion of the mob which had forced an entrance into the basement of Dr. WARD's residence, while other portions were at work on other dwellings. The rioters ran on the first charge. The force broke into squads of threes and fours, giving vigorous chase; every man with a club or other weapon who was overtaken was clubbed to the sidewalk, and laid there. The streets were spotted with the carcasses of such. Many dropped their weapons, but did not escape the penalty for carrying them. The route was complete; the punishment inflicted severe. The sole purpose of this mob was robbery. They were interrupted just as the spoils were thought secure. Up to this period they had undisputed sway, had been doing an immense amount of damage, and kept that entire section of the City in a state of terror. The force reunited at Forty-seventh-street and Fifth-avenue. It was here ascertained that when Capt. PORTER's regulars were in that vicinity, one of them, who was sick, had fallen behind and been set upon by the mob; he was knocked down, beaten, kicked, and then thrown senseless over a fence into a lot on the Fifth-avenue. Capt. WALLING and his force hunted him up, and he was conveyed to Bellevue Hospital. The force returned to the Twentieth Precinct Station-house, where, motions looking threateningly on Ninth-avenue, dispatches for military aid were sent by Capt. WALLING. The mob had cut down the telegraph poles on Ninth-avenue, from Thirty-seventh to Forty-third-street, and had used the wire in fastening wagons and carts together, making barricades of them across the avenue at Thirty-seventh and Forty-third streets, and at the junctions of the intervening streets. At 6 P. M. Capt. WESSON's Regulars arrived at the Station-house. Sergeant ALBANY (of the Twenty-second Precinct) took command of a body of the Police, and with the military in the rear, marched to the avenue and Thirty-seventh-street. Here the force made an attempt to remove the barricades, but were met with a discharge of firearms and stones from the rioters beyond. They had to fall back; the military advanced to the right and fired several volleys; the mob retreated and the Police again advancing removed the barricade. In advancing they were again rallied on by the mob, and the military again took the right, leading and firing as they advanced, the mob falling back, finally fleeing, and the Police removing each barricade as it was reached. This work done and the force returned to the Station-house, where it was held in reserve. At 9 P. M. an attack was made upon a gun and hardware store in Thirty-seventh-street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues; Sergt. PETTY, with a force was soon there, and soon had the thieves flying, save three who were left senseless on the sidewalk. At midnight a mob attacked the colored church in Thirtieth-street, between Seventh and Eighth avenues. Capt. WALLING with his entire force came upon them while busily engaged with axes in the work of destruction; they had succeeded not to burn the church lest some premises thereabout occupied *by their friends would be injured; so the axe was* brought into requisition, and right actively being used. The force charged upon the mob unexpectedly, but were met with a discharge of guns and pistols from it, and from alleys and doorways. The fire was returned, and the clubs resorted to; scores of heads were cracked, many of the broken were carried away by their companions in other cases they were not so fortunate; rioter to be seen.

This was the last of the same active duties of the Nineteenth, and the Twentieth, of the Station-house doing nothing they not making some expeditions until Saturday, then resuming regular service. The services of this force were of the greatest value; they were in a badly infected vicinity, had hazardous and arduous duty to perform, and have made for themselves by their faithful and brave discharge of it, an honorable name in and out of the Department.

Sergeant PARRY was left in charge of the Station, and just as the force on Monday evening was leaving for Headquarters, Superintendent DAYS, of the Colored Orphan Asylum, led into the Station two hundred and sixteen of the children, none over twelve years of age, who had escaped from their home by the rear as the dastardly and infamous mob forced an entrance in front and fired the building. These little ones would undoubtedly have been slaughtered had they not been carefully guided away. They were sadly terrified on reaching the Station, but were reassured, housed and kindly cared for by Sergeant PARRY until sent to the Island.

When the force were returning to the Station from the severe usage of the thieves at Forty-seventh-street and Fifth-avenue, sundry blockies on Fifth-avenue, on Thirty-fifth-street and on Sixth-avenue assailed them as "bloody murderers," &c., &c.

On Wednesday evening some women visited the station, stating that they had soldiers secreted in their houses, who had thus escaped the fury of the mob on Tuesday, when the military were defeated in the vicinity of Allerton's Hotel. Capt. WALLING sent a coach, with an officer in citizen's dress, and collected three, returning them to the Arsenal. The coach, while on Fortieth-street, was attacked by the mob, the windows and doors broken in with stones, but with a courageous driver and good horses, got off without further damage.

When the force hurried to Forty-seventh-street and Fifth-avenue, on the mob about to sack residences there, they met crowds of women and children with bags and baskets, waiting on Sixth-avenue, above Forty-sixth-street, for the word to join in and gather the plunder. After the fight these women were busy attending the wounded.

On Thursday morning at 3 o'clock, a party of four or five of the force discovered a gang which had broken into a pawnbroker's shop in Thirty-ninth-street, near Eighth-avenue, and were riding it; they had secured a number of guns and sabres, when the small force made a dash upon them, beat them badly and recovered all the property.

On Tuesday afternoon, Capt. WALLING, while alone and reconnoitering at Thirty-fifth-street and Eighth-avenue, saw three men staving in the door of Mr. Hazard's hardware store, Eighth-avenue, above Thirty-fifth-street. He ran up and grappled one of them, and dealing a powerful blow with his club, knocked him down; an officer came to his aid, and disarmed another, who, with his companion, escaped. The fellow knocked down was got on to his feet by some friends, and helped, staggering along, to Thirty-sixth street, where he fell senseless; he was handled into a wagon and carted off. When the Captain made this attack, a mob was awaiting at the corner of Thirty-sixth street, the success of their comrades' attempt to break open the store, when they would have rushed in to the pillage.

Sergeant PARRY several times, during the absence of the force, was threatened with destruction of the Station-house, but made excellent preparations for a sturdy defence, by barricading, &c. At one time he had over four hundred refugees under his charge, and all were made comfortable, and given an abundance to eat.

MONETARY AFFAIRS.

Sales at the Stock Exchange.....Aug. 12, 1863.

$30,000 U. S. 6s, '81, Cp.	C.100⅞	1000	Erie R.		104⅛
10,000 U. S. 6s, '64, Cp.	96⅝	250	do		104⅞
5,000 do	Clean.100⅞	56	do		b10.104⅞
10,000 do	Clean.101	200	do		s15.104⅞
1,000 Tenn. 6s, new	73	200	do		s30.104⅞
8,000 N. Orl. & Opv.	106⅞	300	do		b3.104⅞
10,000 U. S. 6s, 5-20s, R	99⅞	100	Hudson R. R.		148
9,000 do	New 100⅞	50	do		s30.149
1,000 Mo. Bonds	73	100	Harlem Railroad		140⅞
1,000 Ill. Cent. Rs. '48

The New-York Times.

NEW-YORK, THURSDAY, AUGUST 13, 1863.

Amusements this Evening.

BARNUM'S MUSEUM—DRAMATIC PERFORMANCES at 3 and 7½ o'clock P. M. Curiosities at all hours.

NIBLO'S GARDEN—THE DUKE'S MOTTO.

WALLACK'S—TRUE TO HER LAST—THE GHOST.

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NEWS OF THE DAY.

THE REBELLION.

The report of the operations of the Army of the Tennessee, from the day when Maj.-Gen. GRANT assumed immediate command of the expedition against Vicksburgh to the surrender of that place, is published in the TIMES this morning. He says that it is a striking feature, so far as his observation of the present volunteer army of the United States goes, that there is nothing which men are called upon to do, mechanical or professional, that accomplished adepts cannot be found to do in almost every regiment. He cannot close his report without an expression of thankfulness for his good fortune in being placed in cooperation with an officer of the navy who accorded to every move that seemed for the interest and success of our arms, his hearty and energetic support. "Admiral PORTER," he adds, "and the very efficient officers under him, have ever shown the greatest readiness in their cooperation, no matter what was to be done or what risk to be taken, either by their men or their vessels. Without this prompt and cordial support my movements would have been much embarrassed, if not wholly defeated."

Gen. MEADE has sent a dispatch to headquarters regarding Gen. LEE's denial that a fight took place at Falling Waters, accompanied by an official report of the affair by Gen. KILPATRICK. These documents effectually dispose of LEE'S denial.

A female servant lately in the family of a son of Gen. ROBERT E. LEE, has just arrived in Washington, and is placed in the contraband camp. She appears to be intelligent and truthful, and she states that her master, who is an *attaché* of JEFF. DAVIS, intends to come to Arlington and claim his rights to property there on the ground that he has never been in the military service of the rebels. She affirms that Gen. LEE'S family are much discouraged by the late Union victories and rebel defeats. They look for the fall of Charleston as a certainty.

We have a report from San Francisco of trouble in the lower counties of California with the Secessionists, who are there from Texas and other points in the Southwest in considerable numbers. Rumors are current that they contemplate a general rising, but they appear to have no better foundation than a collision which took place on the 6th inst. in Tillare County, between a party of Secessionists and some soldiers stationed there, in which one soldier was killed, and several of the Scesh were wounded.

It will be remembered that a telegraphic report of a naval battle between two steamers on the coast of Maine, said to have occurred on the 23d ult., was published a day or two after that date, since which time until now nothing additional in regard to it has reached us. It now appears that there was such a battle, but of the actors in it we are in as much ignorance as before. The particulars, so far as known, are copied from the Portland *Argus*, of Tuesday. The belief of those who witnessed the battle is that the belligerents were a United States gunboat and a rebel privateer, and that the gunboat was worsted; but no official report of the affair has appeared, though it is believed that the Navy Department must be in possession of the facts in regard to it.

A dispatch from Memphis, dated Aug. 5, states that Gen. HERRON and the army under his command have landed on the east side of the Mississippi River, five miles below Port Hudson. A few cases of yellow fever have occurred in New-Orleans, but the health of the city for the season of the year is good. Vicksburgh is reported very unhealthy—typhoid fever and diarrhœa being the principal diseases.

In Jackson County, Ohio, MORGAN captured 200 horses, and the Union forces appropriated 46, valued in the aggregate at $20,700. The merchandise, cash and buggies stolen by MORGAN was valued at $16,000. The damage done to the Portsmouth and Newark Railroad will run up the total to about $50,000.

A Copperhead organ in Philadelphia states that Gen. McCLELLAN has not only transmitted his report to the War Department, but also that he accompanied it with an urgent request that, if the Department declined the trouble and expenses of its publication, he should be allowed to publish it himself at his own cost.

GENERAL NEWS.

In the Court of General Sessions yesterday, before Recorder HOFFMAN, the case of JAMES H. WHITER, *alias* Whitter, indicted for leading the riot against the *Tribune* office, was brought on for trial, and occupied the entire day. The jury retired at 5 P. M., and at 8½ returned with a verdict of "guilty." The jurors were discharged for the term.

A fight with the Indians took place recently on the Missouri River, about a hundred miles below Fort Union. The passenger steamers *Shreveport* and *Robert Campbell*, being aground on a sand-bar, were attacked by the Indians, who were finally driven off, losing twenty-eight killed and a number wounded. Three whites were killed and two wounded. It is reported that all the Indians this side of the Rocky Mountains are hostile.

The Relief Committee composed of the friends of the Seventy-ninth regiment, or Highland Guard, of this State, and organized in aid of the widows and orphans of that celebrated corps, held their annual festival yesterday at Jones' Wood. About $1,000 was realized to the fund. The weather was propitious, and the whole affair was a complete success.

M. the Marquis DE MONTHOLON, late Consul-General of France at this port, where he has resided for nine years past, sailed for Europe yesterday, in the *Scotia*.

A sharp reaction occurred in the Stock Market yesterday, the depression, especially in New-York Central and Erie Shares, continuing throughout the day, though there was a slight rally in the market at second session of the regular Board. Money was in good request, and call loans were generally made at 6, 7 per cent, on first-class paper. Gold was dull, closing at 124½.

The sales of Flour and Wheat were restricted, though buyers had any existing advantage. The demand for Corn was good at firmer prices. Hog products were in fair request. Hay was more active. Leather was selling freely. Groceries, Whisky and Tallow attracted less attention. The Wool sale passed off tamely. The transactions in Cotton were unimportant. The freight engagements were light, with 620 vessels of all classes in port.

The Question of Reconstruction.

We have repeatedly warned our readers against supposing that the rebellion was crushed by the recent victories of the Union troops. Much remains yet to be done before the military power of the rebel Confederacy will be so far broken as to make the question of peace and reconstruction one of practical politics. The rebels have strong armies still in the field; they have strong positions and important seaports still in their possession; they have the active and effective support of England and France to stimulate their hopes and prolong their efforts,—and they have the still more effective and important support of a powerful allied party in the Northern States. All these difficulties stand in the way of peace, and must be removed before peace can be restored. Until they are out of the way, we have but one practical question—but one important and imperative duty; we must bend all our efforts to their removal. We must aid the Government in the prosecution of the war. We must aid it in strengthening our armies, in defeating the designs of its foes, in quelling all open or disguised hostility wherever it may exist. And until this result has been accomplished, and the military and political power of the rebellion has been broken, we regard as premature and as mischievous any sharp and angry controversy concerning the terms of peace or the basis of the political reconstruction by which peace is to be followed.

The whole political community, nevertheless, seems to be plunging headlong into this discussion. The partisan opponents of the Administration have been working zealously ever since the war began to force its friends into precisely such a controversy. We are sorry to see recent indications of success in this endeavor. They have succeeded in drawing from sundry quarters, supposed or assumed to be, to a greater or less extent, in sympathy with the Administration, earnest and even heated declarations of what must and especially of what must not be done in the matter of closing the war and restoring the Union. The latest, and, perhaps, the most significant demonstration of this kind which has met the public eye, is the letter of Mr. WILLIAM WHITING, published in the TIMES of yesterday morning. Mr. W. holds a position *of trust in the War Department, and he insists* that it would be the extreme of folly and of wickedness to permit the rebel States to return to the Union, without exacting from them as a condition precedent, or imposing upon them as the will of a conqueror, the abolition of Slavery. And the *Herald* has, for some weeks past, entertained its readers with reports of dissensions in the Cabinet and the Administration upon this very point.

We think we can safely say that there is not the slightest foundation for these reports, and that the question on which there is supposed to be such a sharp and hostile division of sentiment in the Administration, has never been raised either in the Cabinet council or in any other form. It has never been proposed, either formally or otherwise, by any Secretary or head of Department, to offer terms, or accept terms, or discuss terms of peace or of reconstruction with the authorities of the rebel Confederacy. We venture to say that neither the President nor any one of his Secretaries, would consent even to accept a surrender at the hands of JEFFERSON DAVIS or of the organized Government which he represents, if it came in such shape as to involve, directly or by implication, the right of that Government to speak for *the people* of the rebel States. In military matters—in questions growing out of actual operations in the field, the officers of the rebel armies have been recognized and treated as such: but no political recognition ever has been, or ever will be, extended to the authorities of the rebel Confederacy. When *the people* of the rebel States are disposed for peace they can secure it by refusing to fight, and by resisting the rebel Government which may seek to coerce them into fighting longer:—and when they desire a restoration of the Union and a resumption of their former rights and privileges under it, they have only to resume their allegiance to its Constitution and laws and to make war, at the requirement of its authorities, upon all who attempt to overthrow them. They must do this as individuals, as citizens of the United States, and subject to all the pains and penalties they may have incurred by past violations of those laws: but having thus done it, unless we are greatly mistaken, they will again become members of the Union, and entitled to all the rights guaranteed by the Constitution. If, for example, the people of Louisiana, or of Tennessee, or of North Carolina, or of Mississippi, should in Convention, repeal the ordinance of secession, depose and repudiate the rebel authorities, State and Confederate, reorganize their State Government and require the oath of allegiance to the Constitution of the United States as the condition of holding office, elect members to both branches of the Congress of the United States, and affirm the duty of every citizen to obey all the laws duly enacted by that Congress in accordance with the Constitution, and to abide by the decisions of the judicial tribunals of the Union upon all questions of constitutional law, we should like to know by what authority or with what right their respective States could be regarded or treated otherwise than as members of the American Union, and under the full protection of the Federal Constitution?

It may be said that in all wars the conqueror has a right to impose terms on the conquered. But the Government of the United States has never taken the attitude of a conqueror toward the South. It has sought to maintain its just and rightful authority, not to impose its lawless and unchecked will upon the people of the Southern States. It has sought to crush rebellion, not to conquer a population. It has fought this great war on the basis of the Constitution, under the banner of the Republic, and for the vindication and perpetuation of civil liberty,—not for the enthronement of popular passion or of the uncontrolled will, either of one or of many. And it is not likely, we trust, in the hour of triumph, to abandon this safe ground, and convert this Republican Government into such a despotism as has usurped the power and crushed the liberties of France.

But, it will be asked, may the rebel States send back to Congress the very men who have plunged them into rebellion, and thus prepare to re-enact the terrible tragedy of the past two years? Unquestionably they may—subject only to certain risks those men will run, whether they go to Congress or stay at home. Mississippi may, if she likes, send JEFF. DAVIS back to the U. S. Senate; but before he can take his seat and renew his treasonable practices there, he will be liable to arrest, trial and execution for the treasons he has already committed. And precisely the same thing will be true of every man whom any rebel State may send to either branch of Congress, or put in any other place of political trust and responsibility. It is the *individual citizens* of the Southern States, it must be borne in mind, and not the States themselves, that have incurred the guilt of treason by their share in this rebellion, and it is upon them that the penalties of the law must fall. Whenever a majority of the people in any such State shall be converted from treason to loyalty, either by argument, by arms, or by an enlightened regard for their own interest, they can restore *the State* to its old position in the Union; but they cannot release a single one of their citizens from the penalties he may have incurred by taking up arms against the United States, by adhering to their enemies or giving them aid and comfort.

But what becomes of the Proclamation of Emancipation, the Confiscation laws, and other acts of Congress and the Executive, if these States may thus return to the Union and resume that local sovereignty over their own affairs which is guaranteed to them by the Constitution? Are they to be revoked, suspended or repealed? Not at all. They are to abide the judgment of the Supreme Court of the United States. If they are adjudged constitutional by that tribunal, they are to be obeyed, like all other laws, by all citizens in all sections of our common country. If they shall be pronounced unconstitutional, or if, having been enacted as war measures their effective validity ceases when the war ends, then they disappear from the statute book,—and all citizens everywhere must acquiesce. They stand upon precisely the same footing as any other laws,—must abide the same tests and submit to the same fate, and the people of the rebel States, when they renew their oath of allegiance to the Federal Constitution, must acquiesce in this necessity.

A great deal of this, we are well aware, is so far as present necessities are concerned, pure speculation; and it may moreover never become any thing else. In no rebel State have the people as yet taken any such steps, or evinced by formal action any purpose thus to resume their old relations to the Federal Union. The Administration has, therefore, not been called upon to consider the question in any way, shape or manner. Whenever it shall be thus called upon, it is not at all unlikely that the statesmen who are now at the heads of the several Executive Departments, will differ in opinion very widely as to the practical action which the emergency may require. But we presume that in this, as has already happened in many instances not unlike this in difficulty and importance, the PRESIDENT will relieve his Secretaries from all embarrassment by acting solely and exclusively upon his own responsibility, and in accordance with his own sense of justice and of patriotic public duty.

REPORT OF THE JUDGE-ADVOCATE-GENERAL OF NEW-YORK ON THE DRAFT.—We give the report of Judge-Advocate WATERBURY concerning the draft in this State, which was referred to by Gov. SEYMOUR in his second letter to the President. It is a bitterly partisan document throughout, and we are sorry to see that an officer holding such an important position in the military system of the State, and who by aiding or by embarrassing the Government in its severe and difficult labors, may exercise a beneficial or a baneful influence upon the National cause, should have so far prostituted his office to aid the purposes of party. He openly charges that the whole scheme of drafting in this State was one of conscious fraud—from any knowledge or responsibility of which, however, he relieves the President, the Provost-Marshal-General, and all the proper authorities, and blames it upon the "irresponsible cabal outside." Even amid his perversions and partisanship, he is compelled to confess that the officers of the Government were determined upon fairness and equity. The President was anxious to obtain a knowledge of every wrong or injustice, and earnest and emphatic in the assurance that every error pointed out to him should be corrected, and he remarked to the Judge-Advocate that he "would not permit either a real or an apparent fraud." The Provost-Marshal-General also was emphatically of the same views and sentiments. Under these circumstances, we do not see that the local or State authorities could have found the least difficulty in at once rectifying every mistake—if mistakes there were. We have already given facts which contradict or greatly modify many of the statements and deductions in this letter; and it is quite evident that the whole case, and all the statistics, are set forth in such a manner as to subserve other purposes than those of justice and patriotism. It cannot be too widely known, or too frequently repeated, however, that whether there may have been mistakes on the part of officers, or intentional wrong on the part of the "outside cabal," the President has, by the modification of the quotas and the provision for a new enrollment, taken the most careful measures to set all to rights, and secure equality to every district and every party. This simple fact obviates every difficulty and removes every quibble of the Judge-Advocate, in regard to the future enforcement of the draft.

Mounted Infantry—Warfare in the West.

The present condition of military operations, more especially in the West, are bringing into peculiar prominence an arm of the service which may almost be called the creation of this war—namely, "mounted infantry." It is, as the name indicates, a hermaphrodite organization, combining certain peculiarities of the cavalry arm with certain peculiarities of the infantry arm. It shares the nature of cavalry so far that the men are mounted; but the horse is merely designed as the means of locomotion, and takes no part in the shock of battle. When they meet the enemy, mounted infantry dismount and fight on foot; and to this end they are armed with the rifle instead of with the carbine, pistol and sabre, as are the cavalry.

The advantage of mounted infantry is, of course, the greatly increased celerity of movement such a body possesses. Hence its extraordinary value for the purposes of raiding, foraging, cleaning out guerrillas, guarding lines of communication, and a multitude of such services. For all such purposes it is quite as well adapted as the cavalry, and it presents this enormous advantage, that it can be improvised, (needing simply to put infantry on horseback,) while cavalry is a highly delicate and elaborate arm, which can only be formed by prolonged training. The most dazzling of all the forms of military service, the cavalry, is, after all, only brought into use under special circumstances—*l'arm du moment*, as Marshal SAXE well styled it. We have had few illustrations since the war began of the *legitimate* use of cavalry in battle; it has mainly been employed for purposes for which the mounted infantry is quite as effective, and far more available.

We want in the West clouds of these Cossacks. There is now in the great central zone between the Alleghanies and the Mississippi really no great organized military force of rebels. They are split up into a multitude of detachments covering various points, or roaming the country in mounted bands acting as guerrillas. Tennessee is infested with flocks of these troopers. We can exterminate them only by numerous light moveable columns of mounted infantry. In addition to this they have before them an immense field in cutting the rebel lines of communications, intercepting convoys, destroying depots of supplies, etc., etc. The region mentioned is the region of the production and distribution of all manner of military resources. To attack them here is to attack them in a vital point—to destroy these lines and depots is literally to *disembowel* the Confederacy. In Virginia also we want now large numbers of these mounted infantry. We had yesterday by telegraph the statement of a fugitive Confederate officer that the rebels in Virginia were making desperate efforts to organize an effective force of horse-troopers—that they were impressing into the service all the horses in Virginia, and that whole regiments of their infantry were being mounted.

There are signs that our Western Generals fully appreciate the importance of this arm. Gen. ROSECRANS is forming brigades just as rapidly as he can mount and arm them, and Gen. ROUSSEAU is in Washington for the purpose of getting facilities to raise a division of mounted infantry. There are very many novel features in warfare in this country; only experience can show what is wanted, and experience has shown that mounted infantry is very much wanted.

The Volunteering from New-York State.

Gov. SEYMOUR, in his correspondence with the President, accuses him of having made an unfair enrollment in this State—a *partisan* enrollment. He gives as a ground for this accusation the fact that in the Counties of New-York and Kings more men are enrolled than in certain rural counties, in proportion to the number who voted in the election last Fall.

Last Fall he was elected Governor by less than 11,000 majority, out of a total vote of over 600,000. But he received in New-York and Kings over 78,000 votes, and had a *majority* in these two counties of over 38,000. Among those 78,000 voters were many honest men, who hate traitors and treason. But among them was every man who sympathizes with the rebels—every man who had from the beginning openly and secretly aided the rebellion, and opposed each and every measure to put it down. It included that large class who had given assurances to the rebels that New-York would never permit the General Government to "coerce a sovereign State," and would furnish neither men nor money to such a war.

New-York City and its vicinity contained the "dangerous class" upon whom the rebel leaders counted for *allies*, and who were to rise in insurrection and make the streets flow with blood, if the rebel newspapers may be taken for authority.

These were not the kind of men who had *volunteered* to defend our national existence, and who had gone into the army. They had remained at home to manipulate the elections and to hold the offices. They had their *rôle* to play in this rebellion, and they played it. They were to gain possession of the State authority and array it in opposition to the war. They busied themselves in denouncing the war, sneered at its successes, exulted at its disasters, and proclaimed on platforms and in newspapers that they would never bear a musket in such a cause, and that they went for a "vigorous prosecution of peace."

It so happened that the labors of these men against the war made it difficult to get volunteers, and the alternative was presented of drafting men into the army or submitting to such terms of national dismemberment as the rebels might dictate.

A conscription was made of certain classes liable to do military duty. It is very much like the State law which SEYMOUR recommended last Winter, and which, as Governor, he signed. But he professed to be shocked at the discovery that the Metropolitan counties in which he received 78,000 votes last Fall contain a larger number of men enrolled for the draft than certain rural counties, taking the ratio of voters as a basis for an estimate. He denounces it as unfair, and of partisan character.

It seems that his *friends* did not go into the army, and when he finds their names taken by the enrolling officer, he affects to be surprised, and, pointing to the country counties, exclaims how happens it these rolls contain so many names in New-York and so few in St. Lawrence, compared with the poll-lists of these counties last Fall?

Yes, Governor, how happens it that so few Copperheads volunteered into the army? How happened it that while the young men from the country took up their muskets to defend the national honor and existence, all the peace men, Dead Rabbits, thieves, gamblers and grogsellers, staid at home to do the voting? How is it that all the counties in the State which voted for Gov. SEYMOUR show such shabby results from volunteering, as compared with those counties which voted for Gen. WADSWORTH? We present some curious statistics on this subject in another column, which are well worthy of general notice.

It is very hard that any of those 78,000 who, as he said on the City Hall steps last month, "stood by him," should now be called upon to stand by the country. So it is hard to pay taxes, and to do various other services to our Government. In short, it is easier to burn a house than to build it. But if the Governor really wants to know why so many of his partisans happen to have staid at home during the war, let him attend the next "*peace meeting*," and he will understand the matter.

GEN. G. K. WARREN.—The announcement of the appointment of Brig.-Gen. G. K. WARREN, Chief of Topographical Engineers, to a Major-Generalship of Volunteers, will be received with unusual gratification by his brother officers, and by all who have had the opportunity to know the high soldierly qualities of Gen. WARREN. Though yet very young, (not exceeding thirty, we think,) he has still by pure merit reached in the army the very highest rounds of fame. He is a West Pointer, having, we believe, been an instructor at the Academy. At the outbreak of the war, he raised a regiment—the Warren Zouaves—which soon rose to be regarded as the finest Volunteer regiment in the service, and enjoyed the distinction of being brigaded with the Regulars. He then commanded what was regarded as the finest Volunteer brigade in the service, and at its head displayed the highest military talent throughout the Peninsular campaign. At Chancellorsville as a Staff officer (Chief of Engineers) he showed himself on a larger field, and took even his friends by surprise by his brilliant gallantry, his fertility of resources and general military ability. His conduct at Gettysburgh, where he acted as Gen. MEADE'S Chief of Staff, added still further to his fame. It is within our personal knowledge that Gen. WARREN is looked upon by his fellow academicians, (who have a high and severe standard of judgment of their own,) as displaying more of that faculty, or combination of faculties, for which *genius* is the only name, than any of his compeers in the army. His appointment to the Major-Generalship is the fitting reward of pure merit. The double star does not glitter on the shoulders of a more accomplished or a more promising soldier.

GRANT ON VICKSBURGH.—Major-Gen. ULYSSES S. GRANT'S "report of the operations of the Army of the Tennessee from the day he assumed command of the expedition against Vicksburgh to the surrender of that place," will be read with intense interest by every reader of the TIMES. It is a document for the present hour and for all time. It is full, clear, vivid, able and modest. His gallant army and his subordinate commanders deserve all the praise he gives them, and he himself commands honor from the whole country and the world. Those who from the fragmentary details of the correspondents, and the contradictory dispatches of the telegraph, were unable to gain an accurate and comprehensive idea of the splendid operations at Vicksburgh while they were in progress, will find the whole thing set forth here with the skill of a master.

THE EXILE'S LETTER.—The *World* and the *News* accuse the TIMES of mutilating and distorting the letter of Mr. VALLANDIGHAM to the Democratic meeting at Toledo. It were demeaning to reply to such a charge; but we may say (1) that the transcript of the letter which we published on Saturday last was the same throughout as that which the *World* was enterprising enough to publish on Monday, or two days after. We have compared the two copies and find them identical in every sentence, with the exception of one or two insignificant telegraphic blunders, which vary in each journal. As for the *News*, we do not know whether it published the letter in any shape. We may further say (2) that the copy of the letter which we published was *clipped from* the Cincinnati *Commercial*, to which journal it was telegraphed from Toledo, with such abbreviations—we suppose to save expense—as the telegraphic agent of the Western journal saw fit to make. The TIMES publishes all important documents of all public men, and of every party promptly, and, so far as we can, fully; and we do not imagine that the Vallandigham journals will gain anything by imputing to others the perversity and dishonesty which are their own characteristics.

AFFAIRS IN TENNESSEE.

The Reconstruction Question.

From Our Own Correspondent.

NASHVILLE, August, 1863.

Beneath the surges of war that sweep to and fro over the battle fields of ill-fated Tennessee, under the noise of battles and the confusion of raids and fierce border struggles, another movement is going on, silent but powerful, which shall produce more effects on the future than all the noisy changes of the day. It is a movement of ideas; a change of conviction among the upper classes on no less a subject than that of Slavery and all the relations connected therewith. It is a revolution which is not born alone of the present war. For years back, the great tide-wave of the age—the growing conviction of the civilized world on the subject of human rights—has set back its little eddies even into the slaveholding communities of Tennessee. Numbers of men, owning slaves to a greater or less extent, have had their thoughts seriously called to the question of the morality and the desirableness of the institution. The question of emancipation has been deeply and candidly pondered. I have reason to know this from sources that cannot be doubted. In every Slave State I am convinced there are numbers of men possessing slaves who are always more or less doubtful of the system, but who are restrained from any direct action on it, either from want of the moral courage necessary for such a deviation from the ordinary modes of thought of their community, or because they see no practical method of bettering the present condition of their dependents, and so they find it easiest to let things go on as they are. A convulsion like this war breaks these men from their moorings, and they are very willing to act, as they have long half desired to act.

Besides, the civil war has revealed even to slaveholders the essential barbarity of slaveholding, for how else can they account for the horrible outrages, the cruelties and ferocious treatment practiced by Southern men on those who were once their neighbors and friends. A true loyalist must see, moreover, that it is Slavery, and Slavery alone, which is aiming this death-blow at the Government of his fathers; and he sees (perhaps even more clearly than we at the North, because he is nearer the evil) that the only hope of permanent peace and union lies in the destruction of Slavery. However all this be, it is certain that the leaders and principal men of the Emancipation and Union party of Tennessee are now and have been slaveholders. I could give you the names of twenty-five or thirty at once, whose families are respected and known all over the State, who possess from ten to one hundred slaves, and who heartily support this movement.

One has already offered his slaves wages, and is beginning the great change himself. These gentlemen are devoted Unionists of course, but they are also ardent Tennesseeans, and they believe that the remarkable resources of this rich State will be so developed under free labor, that the loss from emancipation will often be more than repaid from the increased value of lands, and that at least their children will reap the benefit of emancipation in a new condition of prosperity, and a peace which no revolutions will shake. They argue that the beautiful vine lands on their hills will draw in the German emigrant; that the Western and Eastern farmer will be tempted to their fertile valleys, where all productions of the temperate zone flourish bountifully, and that the capital of the seaboard will seek out their wonderful water-power, and the veins of exquisite marble in their mountains. In this great moral movement of Tennessee, it should be remembered that thus far the freest portion of the population, the brave yeomanry of East Tennessee, have not [illegible]. When at length they are delivered, and units with the Unionists and Emancipationists from the central counties, we can judge of what the result will be. So strong is this revolution that the Union Club in Nashville, numbering some seven hundred members, contains in its Constitution an article—which I believe no Northern Union League has ventured to insert—expressing the strongest opposition to Slavery. In this Association, of course, are many slaveholders. It is impossible to hear, this side of Boston, such downright Abolition talk as you hear around the State Capitol in Nashville. One slaveholder said to me that it was a great pity the President had not applied his Proclamation at once to Tennessee, "it would have saved them a great deal of trouble, for it was evident the institution could not stand long in its present condition."

The gentlemen interested in these movements assured me that the greatest obstacle in their path, was the unaccountable tone of a portion of the Democratic Press in the Eastern States, who seemed to have a passion for the restoration of the Slave Power more than do many of the slaveholders themselves.

The most rebel portion of the State—the western—is that which from the incessant marchings and battles of hostile armies, has been the most stripped of slaves. The whole number in the State who have become practically freed must be very large.

There are still, of course, many fallacies current among even the Unionists, on this question. Many, I suspect, are held out especially to appease the popular prejudice—the asserters of them having no faith in them themselves. People still talk of "colonization"—an absurdity which ought to have died out long ago in any intelligent community—as though Tennessee could ever spare a single laborer, black or white, but would not rather offer millions to attract labor to her. We still hear of "negroes not working," as though men that had labored so hard under force, should not do much more under wages; and as if the whole history of emancipation in the West Indies (in a climate far more tempting to idleness than ours) did not teach that the productiveness of freed labor was far beyond that of slave. So, too, the old fallacy of "the impossibility of the two races living near each other in freedom," is here and there heard, as though liberty would make the two races any the less necessary to each other than compulsion, and as though each would not perform even better its task—whether of head work or hand work—where the laws of political economy and the principles of humanity alone governed their relations.

When at length the State Government of Tennessee is organized—and that cannot be till the State is thoroughly cleared of guerrillas—you may be sure that an act of emancipation will be passed, and this State, so favored by nature, begin a glorious career as a FREE STATE.

C. L. S.

The Albany Bridge Injunction Dissolved.

ALBANY, Wednesday, Aug. 12.

Judge HOGEBOOM has granted the motion to dissolve the injunction that was issued to prevent the construction of the Albany bridge.

Sale of Government Bonds.

PHILADELPHIA, Wednesday, Aug. 12.

The sales of Five-twenties to-day, amounted to [illegible].

AFFAIRS IN ENGLAND.

England Shaking and Desponding—Confederate Stock Panic—The European Situation—The Logic of the Conscription—English Statistics—A Lesson for Loyal Slavery.

LONDON, Saturday, Aug. 1, 1863.

The desperate and mortified feeling of the English at the defeat of the South finds expression in many ways, but in none more emphatic than the fall of Confederate stock from par, or a small premium, to a discount of 20 per cent. The New-York riots have given it a slight rally to 17 or 18, but it is very shaky, and has caused two or three failures.

I do not doubt that the English have pluck, if you can get at it, but their whole conduct in this matter seems cowardly, selfish and contemptible. As long as the South had any successes they exulted. When LEE invaded Pennsylvania, they were in ecstacies. At the first turn of ill fortune they give up all for lost. Only one hope sustains them. It is of a struggle between States' rights and the National power. The friends of the South in Europe rely more on Gov. SEYMOUR, of New-York, and expectant Gov. VALLANDIGHAM, of Ohio, than on JEFF. DAVIS or Gen. LEE. New-York and Ohio can destroy the Union if South Carolina and Virginia fall.

Charleston seems likely to be taken without Mr. LAIRD's iron-clads, which he persists in deciding that Mr. Secretary WELLES wished him to build. He has published a correspondence with somebody in Washington, and a memorandum from the Navy Department, describing the kind of vessels wanted. If the present attack prove successful, the cup of British misery will run over; and what will become of all the goods sent to Nassau, to run the blockade, when all the blockaded ports are taken?

The resolution of the Government to carry out the conscription in spite of mobs or Governors, is a sign of conscious strength that has not failed to make its impression here. To have suspended it, because of the riot, would have been an acknowledgment of weakness or defeat. The right of the thing is in a nutshell. The war cannot be carried on without it. Now, as the logicians would say, the war is either right or it is wrong. If wrong, stop it. If right, carry out the conscription. The talk about its inequalities, and the $300 exemption, is sheer nonsense. Where was there ever a draft, in which those who had money could not hire substitutes? My father was drafted in the War of 1812, and wished to serve—but he was the agent of a manufacturing company, and could not be spared—so he hired a substitute. The French Government has a regular price of exemption. A Government that cannot fill up its armies by a levy en masse, when such a levy becomes necessary, has no force or vitality. It cannot live, and ought not.

Englishmen who write of American society never read their own statistics. The paupers in England and Wales are close upon one million, or 1 in 30 of the population. During the last year, 94,000 persons have been prosecuted for drunkenness, of whom 22,560 were women; 33,364 females have been imprisoned the past year, 15,000 of whom had been in prison before, and 3,000 more than ten times. Of the offences with which these lovely feminine Britons were charged, there were 30 cases of murder, 26 of manslaughter, 40 of burglary, 77 of housebreaking, 85 of robbery with violence, 17 of bigamy. What a charming female population!

Parliament was prorogued on Tuesday. Her Majesty regrets the continuance of the war, but thinks it best to persevere in her neutral position. She, also, has heard from Gettysburgh, Vicksburgh and Port Hudson. She leaves, or has left, for her continental visit. The weather is as fine as possible and the harvest has begun. There is promise of great abundance in all Western Europe. In spite of the cotton famine, general business is good. There is some panic about Poland, —a pamphlet having appeared in Paris of a threatening character. It is said that a company of English volunteers is organizing to assist the Poles. I see no sufficient motive for a European war, and believe that it is a diplomatic bugbear.

The proceedings of Parliament would afford some lessons to our legislators. The Government introduced a Statute Law Revision bill, which passed the second reading, when Mr. HENNIKER moved a postponement. I give a brief report of what he took by his motion:

"The Solicitor-General could not understand what possible object the honorable and learned mover could have, either with regard to his own reputation or to the public good, by attempting to obstruct this bill. The honorable gentleman at previous stages of the bill had raised all his objections, and every one of them had been answered and disproved. All his objections were utterly groundless. The honorable gentleman had got a smattering of information on the subject, and having gleaned at the provisions of the bill, which were the result of the labor of years of most competent persons, he came down to the House to obstruct the measure.

The amendment was withdrawn, and the bill was read a third time and passed."

Having meekly taken his whipping, like a good boy, it is to be hoped that the champion of oppressed nationalities will behave better in future.

MONADNOCK.

Gen. Burnside and the Habeas Corpus.

In the case of one HENRY HICKS, which has been before Judge PADDOCK in Cincinnati, Gen. BURNSIDE made the following answer to a writ of *habeas corpus*:

HEADQUARTERS DEPARTMENT OF THE OHIO,
CINCINNATI, Aug. 5, 1863.

I know of no such person as HENRY HICKS, and he is certainly not in my custody, as I do not take charge of the imprisonment of any person.

If, as he is indicated by the Sheriff, this man is a minor, and enlisted in the service against the consent of his parents, and the case is one which justly and honorably calls for a discharge, by making the fact known to these headquarters the discharge will be at once granted, without the expense of a lawsuit, or the chance of a clashing between the State and United States authorities, which all just and loyal men should seek to avoid at a time like the present.

My instructions are distinct, to deliver up no prisoners upon writs issued from State Courts, where they are held by authority of the General Government. These instructions are based upon a well-known decision of the Supreme Court of the United States, and I have issued an order embracing the leading features of that decision.

In conclusion, I beg to state to the honorable Court that it is far from my desire to come into collision with its authority, or to disregard any of its decrees; and I hope to be always found willing and anxious to obey any of its orders that are not in opposition to my instructions from the General Government, and I feel sure that the honorable Court has no disposition to give any such orders.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

(Signed) A. E. BURNSIDE,
Major-General Com'g Department of the Ohio.

Surgeons for the Negro Regiments.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

NEW-YORK, Monday, Aug. 10, 1863.

The Government is compelled to make known that it is sadly in want of medical officers for the negro regiments. Permit me to suggest a remedy. These troops are mostly *United States*, and not *State*, regiments. Act with them precisely as the Government does with white regiments in the United States service; detail medical officers to serve with them in such numbers and in such places as the exigencies of the service require. This is the mode of proceeding, not only in the medical department, but also in the engineer, pay, ordnance, and other departments of the army.

Any other course (taken in connection with Jeff. DAVIS' Proclamation) looks suspicious, and, I venture to prognosticate, will be unsuccessful.

As a matter of choice, I would prefer (and I suppose I can speak regular in this respect) serving with a regiment raised in the South, more especially in Louisiana. They are sentimental, and not politic in

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money of the character of Welles, such as one-cents, dimes, specieys, &c.

AN ARMY SURGEON IN MEXICO IN 1863.

NEWS FROM WASHINGTON.

OUR SPECIAL WASHINGTON DISPATCHES.

WASHINGTON, Wednesday, Aug 12.

THE NEW U. S. SENATOR FROM CALIFORNIA.

The political character of Jesse CONNESS, United States Senator from California, has been authoritatively settled. A distinguished member of the Cabinet to-day said: "The California Senator is in character a combination in equal parts of BEN WADE and DAVE BROWNING. He is a man of conscience and of courage." Mr. CONNESS, before going to visit his friends in Illinois, left behind his assurance that the Unionists of California would carry that State in the coming election by 50,000 majority.

THE PROCLAMATION OF FREEDOM.

Let there be no fear about the action of the Government, in any conceivable exigency growing out of this war and connected with the President's Proclamation of Freedom. The strongest and wisest of the Secretaries, with three other members of the Cabinet, will fling their portfolios into the Potomac, sooner than yield a hair's breadth of their conviction that the proclamation emancipates forever and ever, and irrevocably, every slave embraced within its provisions.

GEN. GRANT'S REPORT.

The attempt to squelch the report of Gen. GRANT's operations around Vicksburgh, by publishing it in the *Army and Navy Advertiser* as an advertisement, excites general disgust here. People await its republication in the TIMES and other New-York dailies, with impatience.

Gen. FRANK BLAIR is here on a visit to his venerable father. His conversational sketches of Uncle Sam GRANT, and of eulogy of his military and personal qualities, greatly confirm the popular impression that this soldier is the greatest product of the war.

THE DRAFT.

The Board of Enrollment, during the three days it has been in session to hear exemptions under the draft, has disposed of about 100 cases, of which upward of 60 persons have been accepted by substitute, a few in person, and several have paid commutation money. The remainder were discharged for disability, erroneous enrollment and other causes. The proportionate number from the entire draft cannot, however, be estimated from these facts, as those who believe themselves entitled to exemption are among the first to engage the attention of the Board.

NAVAL.

Commander MURRAY has been detached from special duty at the Navy Department, and has been ordered to the *Wateree*.

Items from Washington.

THE CASE OF THE PETERHOFF—FORT SUMTER.

Correspondence of the Philadelphia Ledger.

WASHINGTON, Tuesday, Aug. 11, 1863.

I hear that it is the intention of those interested in the *Peterhoff* to carry the case up to a higher Court. The decision just rendered against the vessel and cargo is claimed to be unwarranted, and to rest on no reliable basis. Suspicion, it is alleged, was largely employed in making up the verdict, and vigorous measures to upset it will be made before the captors are allowed a division of the spoils. Should the judgment of a higher Court be also adverse to the vessel and cargo (which, I will add, is not anticipated,) then Her Majesty's Government will be importuned to take action in the matter. Rumors have been current that the vessel would be demanded without an appeal to a higher Court, but they were probably unfounded.

The report received last week to the effect that the cotton bales placed in front of Sumter for its defence were all destroyed, appears to have been incorrect. Only two of the bales took fire, and since then fresh bales have been prepared, which are bound round with sheet-iron, rendering them capable, it is believed by the rebels, of affording the completest protection to the fort; this, however, remains to be seen. It is evident the Confederates are not sure of a successful resistance, as the fort is said to have been mined, preparatory to its total destruction in the event of an attack threatening an ultimate capture or reduction of the fort.

The value of the war material and general merchandise that has run safely into Wilmington since the commencement of the month cannot be less than three millions of dollars' worth, which is paid for in return cargoes, and obviates the necessity of cash payments. These goods, after being landed, are easily forwarded to all parts of the South, and the means are thus obtained for a prolonged resistance to our arms.

The rebels are complaining of large quantities of bogus Confederate money, which they assert is manufactured in the North, and smuggled within their lines. So well are some of the notes executed, that they have passed quite readily, and much suffering has been entailed in consequence by the parties being unable to dispose of them afterwards.

A prominent Britisher here denies that any undue attention was shown the *Florida* in saluting her at St. Georges. It is the custom of the garrison to salute all men-of-war, and as England has classed the rebels as belligerents, the *Florida* being an armed vessel of war was entitled to the compliment.

OBITUARY.

Sir Cresswell Cresswell.

The Right Hon. Sir Cresswell Cresswell, Judge ordinary of the Court of Probate and Divorce, expired on the 28th ult. He had recently met with a severe accident; but the injury which he then received, says the *Lancet*, although it may have accelerated his disease by the severe shock which it undoubtedly inflicted on the system, does not appear to have had any direct share in the fatal result. When violently thrown over by the runaway horses which broke from Lord Aveland's carriage, Sir Cresswell was found, on being raised from the ground, to be suffering from fracture of the knee-pan. This was not, however, a fracture from direct violence; but when examined by the surgeon summoned, Mr. J. Lane, of St. Mary's Hospital, he found that from the nature of the fracture it was evidently one of those rare instances in which the knee-pan is rent by the sudden and violent action of the extensor muscles of the thigh, commonly in the effort to recover the balance of the body, and avoid falling. There was but little bruising—much less than might have been anticipated, and no other apparent injury. The fractured part was healing favorably, and Sir Cresswell bore the confinement with great equanimity, and was in good spirits throughout. Mr. James Lane and Mr. Charles Hawkins were in continuous attendance, and everything promised a speedy recovery. Properly devised splints having been adjusted, Sir Cresswell was able, with assistance, to shift himself from the bed to a couch, and had done so in the course of Wednesday. As he was being lifted in the evening from the couch again to the bed, with the assistance of his brother, Rev. Oswald Cresswell, he complained of feeling faint, asked for wine, and almost immediately died. He had always considered himself a specially healthy man, and was mentioning shortly after his accident that he had never had a day's illness, and had never consulted a physician since he left school. He had lately become somewhat suddenly corpulent, but it was never suspected, by himself or any other person, that the hand of disease had seized him so firmly, though silently. The *post-mortem* examination was performed by Mr. Charles Hawkins, Mr. James Lane, and Dr. Saber. The examination of the chest showed that the heart was the sole seat of the disease. It was loaded with fat, the walls of the ventricular cavities were thin and weak, and the muscular fibres pale; the valves were competent. Throughout the rest of the body the organs were found in a healthy condition, although in parts loaded with fat. On examining the knee-joint some blood was found effused between the fractured surfaces of the bone; there was no inflammation, irritation or even effusion in the interior of the joint, but repair was going on satisfactorily. The cause of death was doubtless, severe syncope, fatal because occurring in a weak heart fatibly degenerated. The deceased Judge was educated at Emmanuel College, Cambridge, and called to the bar at the Middle Temple in 1816. Having won for himself the rank of King's Counsel in 1834, and led the Northern Circuit with an ability which acquired him high reputation, Mr. Cresswell was in 1857 elected to the House of Commons as member for Liverpool. He continued to represent that great commercial community till 1862, when, by the government of Sir R. Peel, he was appointed one of the Justices of the Common Pleas, and invested with the rank of knighthood. Since his elevation to the bench, Mr. Justice Cresswell has given signal proofs of his accuracy, his acuteness, and his quick wit. He was the fourth son of Francis Easterby, Esq., of Blackheath, who, on marrying an heiress of John Cresswell, Esq., took the surname of that ancient Northumbrian family. He was rich, childless, and unmarried.

—Col. John L. Chatfield, late of the Sixth Connecticut Volunteers, died at Waterbury, Conn., on Saturday last, of wounds received in the assault on Fort Wagner, Charleston Harbor. When the siege operations commenced Col. Chatfield had but recently returned to his regiment, after recovering from a severe injury of the thigh, received last October on the battle-field of Pocotaligo, S. C., where he exhibited distinguished bravery. He was regarded highly in the Department of the South, and was a faithful, valuable and conscientious officer. Entering the United States service as Major in the First Connecticut Volunteers, he was promoted to the Colonelcy of the Third Connecticut Volunteers, three months' regiment. On the call for three years' men, he was appointed Colonel of the Sixth Connecticut Volunteers, and went with them to Fort Royal when Gen. SHERMAN's expedition set out for that place.

—Judge B. R. Purple, of Peoria, Ill., died at the Sherman House, Chicago, on Monday morning. He had come to that city to attend the sessions of the United States District Court, and was taken ill after a day of exhausting labor. He was a native of Otsego County, N. Y., and was 56 years of age. In 1833 he went to Illinois and settled at Peoria, and seven years thereafter was appointed Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, retaining that office three years. In 1840 he published his *Real Estate Statutes of Illinois*, a compilation of great practical value, embracing the laws relating to the title to real estate, from the organization of the Northwestern Territory to the date of publication. In 1856 he published his compilation of the Statutes of Illinois, then in force, with notes of the decisions in the construction of them, which deserves and has received the universal approbation of the profession. Judge Purple was in politics a Democrat, and believed in using all the power of the Government to crush the rebellion.

BROOKLYN NEWS.

THE ONE MILLION DOLLAR CONSCRIPTION LOAN.—The Committee of the Brooklyn Common Council, appointed to make arrangements for the loan of one million of dollars, to be applied to the paying of exemption for men of large families who should be drafted, held a meeting in the Mayor's office yesterday morning for the purpose of receiving the replies of the Brooklyn Banks in relation to the loan. There were present Aldermen TEHAN, NEWMAN, FERRY and NOONAN; Mayor KALBFLEISCH, and Tax-Commissioner O'ROURKE. The Mayor stated that he had received replies from the Banks, some verbal and some written, but all to the same effect, respectfully declining to take any portion of the loan. No reason was given, but the general impression is, that the refusal of the Banks is based on the fact that the Common Council have no legal authority to authorize the loan; and if authorized and taken, it will depend upon contingencies whether or not the next Legislature will legalize it. It was suggested, in Committee, that a special meeting of the Aldermen be called, and the resolutions so modified as to offer bounties to volunteers instead of paying for exempting men from the draft; but after consultation, it was decided to adopt the Mayor's proposition to advertise for a loan from the public. It was finally agreed to issue proposals to the following effect:

That proposals will be received at the office of the Mayor, City Hall, Brooklyn, until Monday, 17th inst., at 10 o'clock A. M., for a loan of $1,000,000, or any part thereof, for which certificates will be issued, payable in ten years, bearing interest at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, in accordance with a resolution adopted by the Common Council on the 27th July. That the Common Council intend to apply to the Legislature at its next session for an act authorizing the issue of bonds to raise the necessary funds for the redemption of said certificates.

THE KINGS COUNTY DEMOCRATIC GENERAL COMMITTEE.—The Kings County Democratic General Committee at their last meeting adopted resolutions sustaining the course pursued by Gov. SEYMOUR in relation to the draft. The resolutions are as follows, offered by Mr. JOHN LINDSEY, which were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That we hail with just pride the firm and dignified remonstrance of His Excellency Gov. SEYMOUR against the unprincipled and unjust aspersions, as unconstitutional and odious law, as exemplified in his late correspondence with the President of the United States upon the enforcement of the Conscription law of this State.

Resolved, That the language of the Chief Magistrate of the nation, in his reply to Gov. SEYMOUR, is as humiliating to the nation as it is alarming—humiliating for its admission that the most popular and best form of Government on the world can no longer (the first time since its establishment) rely upon the willing and unrestrained support of its citizens in what he is pleased to call its death struggle; alarming because of its avowed determination (although admitting its apparent unfairness and injustice) to disregard the Constitution and sovereign rights of the people and State, and usurping in the person of the Executive the powers and functions of the other coordinate branches of the Government, namely, Legislative and Judicial, so zealously guarded against by States specifically in the Constitution.

Resolved, That, in behalf of the Democratic and conservative citizens of Kings County, we earnestly implore His Excellency Gov. SEYMOUR, while yielding and aiding the President in every legitimate and constitutional measure to preserve the Union and the Union, not to suffer any innovation or usurpation of the constitutional rights of the sovereign people of this State, from any pretext, or come from what quarter they may, believing such innovations and usurpations would only lead to a certain destruction of our Republican form of Government. In support of which we hereby pledge our hearty cooperation.

DROWNED.—WILLIAM MCCORMICK, a member of Engine Company No. 16, was drowned while on a rowing excursion in Gowanus Creek, on Tuesday. His body was recovered yesterday, and an inquest was held by Coroner NUGENT. A verdict in accordance with the facts was rendered.

Williamsburgh.

PROBABLE MURDER.—Yesterday noon a colored man named SAMUEL JOHNSON, was arrested in Brooklyn, E. D., charged with killing an old man named SAMUEL BEARDS, residing at No. 7 Marshall-street. It appears that in a difficulty the old man was knocked down and fell, striking his head heavily, and died shortly afterward. The Coroner will investigate the case to-day.

SUDDEN DEATHS.—Coroner BARRETT yesterday held the following inquests: On a man of color, named EDWARD BELL, residing at No. 204 North Ninth-street—verdict, died from hemorrhage; also on WM. HARTY, No. 228 First-street, who died from congestion of the brain; also on the body of JAMES PEARSLEY, of No. 128 North Seventh-street, who died of a complication of disorders; and on the body of MRS. GROSLEY, of No. 67 North Sixth-street, whose death was produced by hard drinking. Verdict in accordance with the facts.

INDUCING SOLDIERS TO DESERT.—Marshal MURRAY has arrested RICHARD FOSTER and JOHN HOWE, on charge of inducing private SMITH, of the Sprague cavalry, to desert. They promised him $175 if he would desert, go to Providence and there offer himself as a substitute. He assented, was furnished with citizen's clothes, and made off with the others for Providence. All three were recognized there, taken into custody, and brought back.

RETURN OF REV. DR. CHAPIN.—Rev. Dr. CHAPIN and family returned home by the *China*. Dr. CHAPIN has improved in health, and will resume his pulpit labors on the first Sunday in September.

The Sixteenth Massachusetts Regiment.

BUFFALO, Wednesday, Aug. 12.

The Sixteenth Massachusetts regiment arrived to-day, and leave for home via the Central Railroad at 6 this evening.

Nomination for Congress.

BALTIMORE, Wednesday, Aug. 12.

Hon. J. W. CRISFIELD has been renominated for Congress by the Union men of the First District of Maryland.

— Hon. LYMAN TRUMBULL, United States Senator, has changed his residence from Alton to Chicago, Illinois.

NEW-YORK WEEKLY TIMES.

The NEW-YORK WEEKLY TIMES is published THIS MORNING, and may be had at the counter of the publication office, in wrappers, ready for mailing. Price FIVE CENTS.

In addition to the latest intelligence by telegraph up to the moment of going to press, there will be found in the current number full details of all military movements in the different departments, from the pens of our special correspondents. Also, all official orders, reports and documents, and the latest and fullest Washington news. European news, with graphic letters from our correspondents in London and Paris, giving the tone of public feeling abroad, is made a special and permanent feature. In addition to Editorials on all the current topics of the day, the WEEKLY TIMES has a page of carefully prepared commercial matter, giving the latest financial news and market reports; items of agriculture and domestic interest, compiled from sources many of which are otherwise inaccessible to the American reader; and marriages and deaths of the week.

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CUTTER—TROW.—On Wednesday, Aug. 12, at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. Milton Badger, D. D., Dr. JAMES B. CUTTER, U. S. A., and Miss KITTY S. TROW, being of the same age and name, and married on the same day of the month, and by the same clergyman, as her mother, twenty-nine years since, and second daughter of John F. Trow, Esq., of this City. No cards.

WARE—TURNER.—At the United States Legation, Berne, Switzerland, on Wednesday, July 29, by Mr. Fenton, the American Minister, PRESCOTT HALL WARD, Esq., of New-York, and Miss MARIANNE POTTERLE TURNER, niece of Hon. Robert J. Walker.

DIED.

BRUFF.—On the morning of the 12th inst., of apoplexy, HANNAH F. BRUFF, in the 63d year of her age.

Her relatives and friends are invited to attend her funeral, on Thursday, Aug. 14, at 4 o'clock P. M., from her late residence, No. 162 Lexington-av., Brooklyn.

BOARDMAN.—In this City, on Tuesday evening, Aug. 11, MRS. MARY BOARDMAN, widow of the late John Boardman, aged 77 years.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral, from her late residence, No. 69 3d-av., on Thursday, Aug. 13, at 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

BRUGGERHOF.—In Darien, Conn., on Tuesday, Aug. 11, ABRAHAM BRUGGERHOF, in the 72d year of his age.

The funeral will take place from the Chapel, at 1 o'clock, on Thursday, Aug. 13.

☞ St. Louis (Mo.) papers please copy.

CARROLL.—In Hastings-upon-Hudson, at the residence of her daughter MRS. Edward C. West, SARAH, widow of Matthew Carroll, aged 83 years.

The friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral, without further notice, from the house of J. S. Schultz, No. 121 East 12th-st., on Thursday afternoon, Aug. 13, at 2 o'clock.

DOYLE.—On Monday evening, Aug. 10, AGNES TERESA, only daughter of Thomas Doyle, and Susan, his wife, aged 3 years, 6 months and 20 days.

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DIVINE.—In Sacramento, Cal., on Dec. 9, 1862, of inflammatory dropsy, JOHN DIVINE, native of Farmhill, County Tyrone, Ireland, late of New-York City, aged 23 years.

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GEDDIS.—On Monday, Aug. 10, ANNIE GEDDIS.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from her late residence, No. 7 Ludlow-place, (Houston-st.,) on Thursday, Aug. 13, at 2 o'clock P. M., without further notice.

HOLMES.—In this City, on Tuesday, Aug. 11, THOMAS HOLMES, Sr., aged 72 years.

The funeral will take place from his late residence, No. 146 Clinton-st., on Friday, Aug. 14, at 2 o'clock P. M. The relatives and friends of the family, also the members of the late Oliver-st. Baptist Church, are respectfully invited to attend, without further notice.

☞ Boston papers please copy.

KENT.—In Oyster Bay, L. I., on Monday, Aug. 10, AUGUSTA E., wife of James E. Kent, and daughter of Daniel T. and Margaret G. Youngs.

Friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral, at Oyster Bay, on Thursday, Aug. 13, at 2½ o'clock P. M. Carriages will meet the 11 o'clock train from Jamaica-slip and 34th-st., New-York, at Syosset, and return in season for the 5 o'clock train for New-York.

MERRIAM.—In Homewood, Lewis County, N. Y., on Friday, Aug. 7, ELIZA GREENLEAF, only daughter of Clinton L. and Caroline H. Merriam, aged 8 years and 9 months.

PANGBURN.—In Poughkeepsie, on Wednesday, Aug. 12, of consumption, ELIZA M. SPRONCE, wife of William H. Pangburn, aged 38 years.

Relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from her late residence, No. 102 West 27th-st., on Saturday, Aug. 15, at 2 o'clock, without further notice.

PARKER.—In this City, on Wednesday, Aug. 12, at No. 49 East 21st-st., ANNY C. PARKER, widow of Frederick Parker, of New-Bedford.

Funeral from Grace Church, New-Bedford, on Friday, Aug. 14.

☞ Boston papers please copy.

PARR.—On Tuesday morning, Aug. 11, JOHN PARR, aged 63 years.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, No. 311 West 24th-st., on Thursday, Aug. 13, at 10 o'clock P. M.

SHERWOOD.—In Harlem, on Wednesday, Aug. 12, WILLIAM H. H., second son of William H. H. and Martha Jane Sherwood, aged 2 years and 2 months.

The relatives and friends of the family, also the relatives and friends of his grandfather, Samuel J. Sherwood, are respectively invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of his parents, 126th-st., between 3d and 4th ave., on Friday, Aug. 14, at 10 o'clock A. M. The remains will be taken to New-York Bay Cemetery, for interment.

STROBEL.—Yesterday, of the measles, ELIZA SNYDER STROBEL, youngest daughter of Rev. W. D. Strobel, in the 19th year of her age.

Her remains were taken to Red Hook, Dutchess County, for interment.

WHITLOCK.—On Wednesday, Aug. 12, after a brief illness, BENJAMIN M. WHITLOCK, in the 67th year of his age.

Funeral services will be held at the Reformed Dutch Church, Matthaven, on Friday afternoon, Aug. 14, at 5 o'clock. The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend, without further notice. The 4:10 P. M. train of the New-York and Harlem Railroad, will stop at Motthaven Depot, where carriages will be in waiting.

WINSOR.—In Greenville, R. I., on Tuesday, Aug. 11, after a lingering illness, RICHMOND WINSOR.

The funeral will take place from the above place on Friday, Aug. 14, at 2 o'clock P. M.

WIRRIN.—In Morristown, N. J., on Wednesday morning, Aug. 12, WALTER, only child of Otto C. and Anna H. Wirrin, aged 15 months.

WASHINGTON.—On Tuesday, Aug. 11, after a short illness, JOSIAH WASHINGTON, aged 35 years, 2 months and 27 days.

The relatives and friends of the family, also the members of Pyramid Lodge, No. 466, F. and A. M., are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, from his late residence, No. 216 West 26th-st., this (Thursday) afternoon, Aug. 13, at 2 o'clock, without further invitation. His remains will be taken to Greenwood for interment.

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NEW-YORK, May 6.

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THOMAS GRANAM, No. 339 6th-av.

NEW-YORK, May 7, 1863.

I have great pleasure in testify to the skill of Dr. VON EISENBERG. I went into his office almost completely deaf, and came out with my perfect hearing. It is nearly twelve months since, and the hearing is perfect. The operation, which lasted two or three minutes in each of my ears, gave me no pain whatsoever. I, with confidence, recommend all sufferers to place themselves under Dr. VON EISENBERG's unsurpassing skill.

SAMUEL C. HUNT,
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NO. 136 MADISON-ST., NEW-YORK, Feb. 9, 1863.

I have been completely deaf in one ear, and partially so in the other, for above seventeen years, with a disagreeable discharge from both ears, combined with continual rumbling noise in the head, for which I have been treated by a most eminent practitioner in the City without the slightest relief.

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JOHN TAYLOR.

NEW-YORK, July 19, 1863.

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Mary W. Huton vs. William W. Huton.—Respondent's motion and judgment of divorce granted.

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—Major Hazleton, late in charge of the pay department at Vicksburgh, died at Memphis on the 2d inst., from disease contracted in the service. It is said that seven out of sixteen Paymasters are sick at Vicksburgh. Major Hazleton was very much esteemed in the corps, and was a high-minded, honorable gentleman. His loss is deeply regretted.

Movements of European Steamers.

FROM AMERICA.			
City of Cork	Aug. 13	New-York	Liverpool
Lexington	Aug. 14	New-York	Liverpool
America	Aug. 15	Quebec	Liverpool
City of Manchester	Aug. 15	New-York	Liverpool
America	Aug. 15	New-York	Bremen
Arabia	Aug. 19	Boston	Liverpool
Germania	Aug. 22	New-York	Southampton
Glasgow	Aug. 22	New-York	Liverpool
Hansonia	Aug. 22	New-York	Hamburg
Saxonia	Aug. 22	New-York	Liverpool
Virginia	Aug. 26	New-York	Liverpool
City of Washington	Aug. 29	New-York	Liverpool
Great Eastern	Sept. 2	New-York	Liverpool
Africa	Sept. 5	Boston	Liverpool
Persia	Sept. 5	New-York	Southampton
Bavaria	Sept. 19	New-York	Southampton
FROM EUROPE.			
Germania	July 29	Southampton	New-York
Minnesota	July 29	Liverpool	New-York
Cheshire	July 30	Liverpool	Quebec
Venetian	Aug. 1	Liverpool	Quebec
City of Washington	Aug. 1	Liverpool	New-York
Etna	Aug. 5	Liverpool	Quebec
Kangaroo	Aug. 7	Liverpool	New-York
Asia	Aug. 8	Liverpool	Boston
Edinburgh	Aug. 11	Liverpool	New-York
Saxonia	Aug. 11	Southampton	New-York
Columbia	Aug. 12	Liverpool	New-York
City of Baltimore	Aug. 12	Liverpool	New-York
Great Eastern	Aug. 12	Liverpool	New-York
Palmyra	Aug. 15	Liverpool	New-York
Kedar	Aug. 15	Liverpool	New-York
Carolina	Aug. 19	Liverpool	New-York
Shannon	Aug. 19	Liverpool	New-York
City of Limerick	Aug. 21	Liverpool	New-York
Africa	Aug. 22	Liverpool	Boston
Saxonia	Aug. 25	Southampton	New-York
Angola	Aug. 29	Liverpool	New-York
City of New-York	Aug. 29	Liverpool	New-York
Leeds	Aug. 29	Liverpool	New-York
Georgia	Sept. 2	Liverpool	New-York
FOR NEW-ORLEANS.			
Morning Star	Aug. 15	New-York	New-Orleans
FOR CALIFORNIA.			
Northern Light	Aug. 12	New-York	Aspinwall

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The mails for Europe by the *Bohemian*, *via* Quebec, close on Thursday, at 12½ P. M.

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For the South Pacific, etc.

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For Nassau, N. P.

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North Mails close at ..... 8 A. M. 4:30 and 10 P. M.
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ADVICE TO LADIES.—IN ALL CASES where infallible medicines are desired, or mode of treatment that never fails, call upon Dr. A. M. MAURICEAU, Professor of Midwifery, Author of "The Married Woman's Private Medical Companion," who treats female complaints exclusively. Office No. 130 Liberty-st.

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A GREAT DISCOVERY.
AN ÆSTHETIC NITROUS OXIDE.
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without pain, by Dr. HOYT, sole manufacturer of anæsthetic nitrous oxide. It is superior to chloroform or ether, and perfectly harmless, causing a quiet sleep, with pleasing sensations and perfect insensibility to pain, further, which I extract teeth without the knowledge of the patient. Sets of teeth and artificial teeth of every description inserted. Perfect satisfaction guaranteed.
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DRS. GRIFFIN, NO. 205 GRAND-ST., N.Y., opposite Lord and Taylor's, and No. 267 Fulton-st., Brooklyn, are inserting their improved Artificial Teeth, with or without extracting the roots; full sets on gold or platina, $40; silver or rubber, $20; partial sets (gold) per tooth, $5; silver or rubber, $1; extracting, 25c.

LEGAL NOTICES.

SUPERIOR COURT OF THE CITY OF NEW-YORK.—ALEXANDER TAYLOR and HALSEY W. JONES, executors of the last will and testament of GEORGE W. MILLER, deceased, plaintiffs, against GEORGE COLYER, THOMAS DUGARD, HENRY A. BURR and WILLIAM H. BIBLEY, defendants. In pursuance of the directions contained in the judgment made and entered in the above entitled action, in the thirteenth day of June one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two, the undersigned, Murray Hoffman, the Referee named in and appointed by said judgment, hereby notifies all creditors of the late firm of Colyer & Dugard, formerly doing business in the City of New-York, and all other persons interested in the property assigned by the said Colyer & Dugard to the defendants, Burr and Bibley, by assignment dated October third, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven, to come in and exhibit their respective demands before him, at such Referee, at his office, number thirty-two Nassau-street, in the City of New-York, on or before the fifteenth day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three; and that such of said creditors as shall not come in and prove their debts on or before the day last aforementioned, will be barred from any further share as may be allowed by said Referee or by the court, will be excluded from the benefit of the judgment herein. The claims so exhibited should be verified by affidavit, and should specify the items and dates of all debits and credits, and the amount due on each, on the third day of October, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-three, also all subsequent crediting and payments, if any, and the amount due and unpaid on the day of verification, with the interest thereon, and the period for which it is computed.
Dated at New-York, July 6, 1863.
MURRAY HOFFMAN, Referee.
CHARLES P. SANFORD, Plaintiffs' Attorney, 16 Wall-st.

COMMISSIONER FOR ILLINOIS AND other States and Nisi Prius.—Inquiries and proofs taken, &c., by JOHN J. MCCOOK, Commissioner, New-York Hotel—Room No. 9—second floor.

FINANCIAL.

NOTICE.
UNITED STATES TREASURY,
New-York, Aug. 10, 1863.

PARTIES HOLDING THIRTY (30) OR forty-second notes of the three years' series, and those bearing per cent. bonds, maturing on the 20th inst., are requested to hand them in, with schedules, at any time before that date.

Holders availing themselves of the above, will have their coupons examined and checks given for them on the 15th inst., after 3 o'clock P. M.

Blank schedules will be furnished upon application at the interest desk of this office.

JOHN J. CISCO, Assistant Treasurer.

UNITED STATES TREASURY,
NEW-YORK, Aug. 3, 1863.

BY DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY, I hereby give notice to all parties holding CERTIFICATES FOR TEMPORARY LOAN OF UNITED STATES NOTES, the interest upon which has hitherto been paid in gold coin at the expiration of each period of six months from the date thereof, that after the expiration of the several periods of six months now current, such interest will no longer be payable in gold coin, but in United States legal tender notes.

JOHN J. CISCO,
Assistant Treasurer United States.

VERMILYE & CO.,
BANKERS, NO. 44 WALL-ST.,
Will continue to furnish
U. S. FIVE-TWENTY BONDS,
as long as issued by Government, at par and interest.
CHECKS ON CITY BANKS received in payment.
INTEREST on BONDS to commence on day of deposit.
CONSTANTLY ON HAND, for sale at market rates—
U. S. 6 PER CENT COUPON BONDS, of 1881.
U. S. CERTIFICATES OF INDEBTEDNESS—Interest payable in Gold.
U. S. CERTIFICATES OF INDEBTEDNESS—Interest payable in Currency.
SEVEN-THIRTY TREASURY NOTES.
VERMILYE & CO.

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BANKERS
and dealers in United States Government Securities of all Descriptions.
Stocks and Bonds bought and sold on commission.
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Mercantile collections made on all points in the United States and Canada.

AGENCY OF THE
U. S. 5-20 YEAR 6 PER CENT LOAN.
OFFICE OF
LIVERMORE, CLEWS & CO.,
No. 34 WALL-ST., N. Y.

We are instructed to continue AS AGENTS to supply these Bonds AT PAR, interest in Gold, commencing at the time of subscription.
Orders accompanied by draft or current funds will receive prompt attention.
LIVERMORE, CLEWS & CO.,
BANKERS, AND DEALERS IN SECURITIES AND GOLD.

AGENCY FOR THE SALE OF
U. S.
FIVE-TWENTY BONDS,
NO. 38 WALL-ST. NEW-YORK.

It having been determined to extend the time for the issue of FIVE-TWENTY BONDS, we shall continue to act as agents and furnish the bonds as heretofore, at par, with interest commencing from date of subscription.
FISK & HATCH,
BANKERS, NO. 38 WALL-ST., N. Y.

BROWN BROTHERS & CO.,
NO. 59 WALL-ST.,
ISSUE COMMERCIAL AND TRAVELERS' CREDITS FOR USE IN THE COUNTRY AND ABROAD.

EDWARD KING
Offers his services at the Board of Brokers for the purchase or sale of STOCKS, BONDS AND GOVERNMENT SECURITIES. No. 4 Hanover-st.

SCHENECTADY AND CATSKILL RAILROAD.—Notice is hereby given that books of subscription to the capital stock of the Schenectady and Catskill Railroad will be opened at the office of Mr. G. Stebbins & Sons, No. 40 Exchange-place, New-York, on THURSDAY, Aug. 13, and will remain open until SATURDAY, Aug. 22. The Company is fully organized under the general law of 1850. The capital, $1,000,000. Shares, $100 each; 10 per cent. to be paid at the time of subscribing. The construction of the road not to be commenced until the entire capital stock is subscribed. In case of excess of subscription beyond the capital stock, the distribution will be pro rata among all the subscribers. The road connects with the New-York Central Railroad at Schenectady, and runs thence to Catskill, forty miles, in a direct or air-line, with a remarkably easy grade. The saving in distance from Schenectady to Catskill, between this route and that via Albany, is twelve miles by rail and twenty by canal, and still greater saving in time and facility of transportation by avoiding the inconvenience and detention of the overslaugh and twenty-nine locks. A line of swift and superior steamers will meet the cars at Catskill, making the passage from that place to New-York in five hours. Beside a large proportion of the travel and freight of Hudson River Railroad, it will receive most of the travel and freight of the Albany and Susquehanna Railroad by its intersection ten miles below Schenectady. It will receive the accumulations of freight and passengers west from railroad lines extending to Lake Erie, north from Lake Champlain, Canada and Saratoga, and south from a cheap river travel of one hundred and ten miles, with ample depth of water, and wholly free from obstruction—all by the construction of only forty miles of track, on one of the most economical, noted known in the history of American railroads. Of the speedy construction of the road, and its large profits, no doubt need be entertained. Contractors of responsibility and experience offer to complete the double-track, rolling stock, fences, &c., within the capital.
D. D. CAMPBELL, President.

OFFICE OF NORTH AMERICAN FIRE INSURANCE CO.,
No. 6 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK, Aug. 4, 1863.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Books of Subscription to the increased Capital of the NORTH AMERICAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY are now open at the office of the Company, No. 6 Wall-st., and will continue open until the 20th day of August next, at which date the books will be closed. By order.
E. W. BLEECKER, Secretary.

IMPORTANT TO FEMALES.—DISEASES OF females scientifically treated by Dr. THIERS, No. 1,317 Broadway, near 36th-st., New-York. Send a red stamp for ladies' circular, and escape quackery. Board provided.

MANHATTAN GAS LIGHT COMPANY.—Full and scrip stock for sale by A. H. MULLER, P. S. WILKINS & CO., No. 55 Pine-st.

EXCHANGE ON PARIS FOR SALE.—French government bills at 30 days sight for sale by DREXEL, WINTHROP & CO., No. 40 Wall-st.

ATLANTIC AND GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY COMPANY.—Coupons on the Bonds of this Company will be paid on presentation by
McANDREW & WANN, No. 12 Pine-st.

DIVIDENDS.

NINTH DIVIDEND.
OFFICE OF THE GERRARD FIRE INSURANCE CO.,
No. 7 PINE-ST.

The Board of Directors have declared a Semi-Annual Dividend of *Five Per Cent.*, payable (free of Government tax.) on the 1st day of August.
JOHN R. SMITH, Secretary.
NEW-YORK, July 21, 1863.

CHICAGO AND ALTON RAILROAD COMPANY,
TREASURER'S OFFICE, CHICAGO, July 27, 1863.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT a meeting of the Board of Directors, held this day, the following resolution was adopted:
Resolved, That a dividend of Three and One-Half Per Cent. (less Government tax) on the Preferred Stock, and a dividend of Two and One-Half Per Cent. (free of Government tax) on the Common Stock of this Company, be paid to the registered stockholders of the Company, on and after Aug. 20, at the office of Messrs. G. S. Robbins & Son, No. 54 William-st., New-York.
The transfer books will be closed on Aug. 15, and reopened on Aug. 21, 1863, and the dividend will be payable only to the stockholders registered at the United States Trust Company, New-York, on Aug. 18.
JOSEPH PRIOR, Treasurer and Secretary.

OFFICE PENNSYLVANIA COAL COMPANY,
TRINITY BUILDING, No. 111 BROADWAY,
NEW-YORK, Aug. 5, 1863.

A SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND OF FIVE (5) Per Cent., free of Government tax, has this day been declared on the capital stock of the Pennsylvania Coal Company, payable at the office in the City of New-York, on and after the 15th of August next. The transfer books will be closed from the 11th to the 15th inst., both inclusive.
GEO. A. HOYT, Treasurer.

OFFICE OF THE NEW-YORK FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY,
NEW-YORK, Aug. 4, 1863.

DIVIDEND.—THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS have this day declared a semi-annual Dividend of Six per Cent., (free of Government tax,) payable on demand.
B. UNDERHILL, Secretary.

BANK OF THE REPUBLIC, NEW-YORK, July 31, 1863.

DIVIDEND.—A DIVIDEND OF FOUR PER Cent., free of Government tax, has this day been declared, out of the earnings of the past six months, payable on and after Monday, 10th proximo. By order of the Board.
H. W. FOMO, Cashier.

CITIZENS' BANK.—TWENTY-FOURTH DIVIDEND.—NEW-YORK, Aug. 4, 1863. A Dividend of Four per cent. (free of Government tax) has been declared out of the profits of the last six months, payable on the 12th inst. The transfer books will be closed until that date.
S. N. COMSTOCK, Cashier.

LENOX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,
No. 84 CHATHAM-ST., NEW-YORK, July 31, 1863.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS HAVE this day declared a Semi-Annual Dividend of Five (5) per Cent., payable on demand, free of Government tax.
WALTER M. FRANKLIN, Secretary.

DIVIDENDS.

DIVIDEND.
THE OSWEGO AND SYRACUSE RAILROAD COMPANY HAVE THIS DAY DECLARED THE TWENTIETH SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND OF $3 PER SHARE, free of Government tax, on and after Aug. 20, 1863. New-York stockholders will be paid by HENRY A. OAKLEY, Esq., Transfer Agent, at the office of the Howard Insurance Company, New-York City; Albany and Troy stockholders at the New-York State Bank, Albany; Utica stockholders at the Oneida Bank, Utica; Syracuse stockholders at the Bank of Syracuse; all others at the Lake Ontario Bank, Oswego. All dividends not called for within thirty days will be paid at the Treasurer's office, Oswego, only.
LUTHER WRIGHT, Treasurer.
OSWEGO, Aug. 18, 1863.

OFFICE OF THE SECURITY FIRE INSURANCE CO.,
No. 51 PINE-ST., NEW-YORK, Aug. 10, 1863.

THE DIRECTORS OF THIS COMPANY have this day declared a
SCRIP DIVIDEND
OF
FIFTY-FIVE PER CENT.
on the earned premiums of Participating Policies, the certificates for which will be ready for delivery on the 15th of October next.
ALSO,
AN INTEREST DIVIDEND OF SIX PER CENT. on outstanding Scrip, payable in cash on demand.
ALSO,
A CASH DIVIDEND OF SEVEN PER CENT. on the Capital Stock of the Company, payable to stockholders on demand.
All the above dividends are free from Government tax.
By order,
RICHARD L. HAYDOCK, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP CO.,
NEW-YORK, Aug. 10, 1863.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Directors have this day declared a Dividend of Five (5) Per Cent. on the capital stock, out of the net earnings of the last three months, payable, free of United States tax, to the stockholders at the office of the Company, on and after Thursday, the 20th instant.
The transfer books will close on the 15th and reopen on the 24th instant.
By order of the Board. P. W. G. BELLOWS,
Secretary pro tem.

ORIENTAL BANK,
NEW-YORK, Aug. 7, 1863.

A DIVIDEND OF THREE AND ONE-HALF per cent. (free from Government tax) has this day been declared, payable on and after the 10th inst.
The Transfer Books will remain closed until that date.
W. A. HALL, Cashier.

SHIPPING

STEAMSHIP GREAT EASTERN.
NEW-YORK AND LIVERPOOL.
HOWLAND & ASPINWALL, Agents.
THE STEAMSHIP
GREAT EASTERN,
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will be dispatched
From LIVERPOOL, WEDNESDAY, Aug. 12, at 4 o'clock P. M., and from NEW-YORK, WEDNESDAY, Sept. 2, at 3 o'clock P. M., precisely, and at intervals thereafter of about six weeks from each port.

First Cabin, from	$80 to $125
Second Cabin—Sixty berths, mostly furnished at separate tables	$60
Excursion tickets out and back, in the first and second cabins, only, a fare and a half.	
Steerage accommodating passengers, and children under 12 years of age, half fare. Infants free.	
Third Cabin.—Intermediate state-rooms, passengers found with beds, bedding, table utensils, and good, substantial food	$40
Steerage.—With superior accommodations	$30

☞ Prices of Cabin passage from Liverpool at same rates as above.
Price of Steerage passage from Liverpool $35
All fares payable in gold, or its equivalent in United States currency.
Each passenger allowed twenty cubic feet of luggage. An experienced Surgeon on board. For passage only, apply to
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BETWEEN NEW-YORK AND LIVERPOOL, CALLING AT COVE HARBOR AND BETWEEN BOSTON AND LIVERPOOL, CALLING AT HALIFAX AND COVE HARBOR.
PERSIA, Lott, leaves New-York Wednesday, July 29.
AFRICA, Stone, leaves Boston Wednesday, Aug. 5.
SCOTIA, Judkins, leaves New-York Wednesday, Aug. 12.
ASIA, Moore, leaves Boston, Wednesday, Aug. 19.
CHINA, Shannon, leaves New-York Wednesday, Aug. 26.
ASIA, Shannon, leaves Boston, Wednesday, Sept. 2.
FROM NEW-YORK TO LIVERPOOL.

Chief Cabin Passage	$132 50
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Payable in gold, or its equivalent in United States currency.
Berths not secured until paid for.
An experienced surgeon on board.
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The undersigned will dispatch one of the undermentioned or other first-class full powered British built steamers from
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Ship.	Tons.	Commander.	To call.
LOUISIANA	2,166	Brooking.	Friday, 14th August.
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These steamers have been all built under the inspection of the Chief Surveyor to the Liverpool Underwriters' Society of Iron Ships, they have extra water-tight compartments and double engines, and are fitted up for first, second, and third-class passengers, which are charged at the following rates:

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The magnificent Steamship
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will sail from LIVERPOOL, via GALWAY, to NEW-YORK, on WEDNESDAY, the 19th of July, to be followed by the other steamers of the line every alternate Wednesday.
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Steerage	35

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ELEAZER JONES, Manager.

STEAM TO LONDONDERRY, GLASGOW AND LIVERPOOL.
The Montreal Steamship Company's first-class full-powered Clyde-built steamer
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Carrying the Canadian and United States Mails, will sail from Quebec next
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Rates of passage from New-York: First-class, according to accommodations, $75, $80, $90. Steerage, found with good provisions, $32 50, payable in Gold or its equivalent in United States currency. Certificates issued for bringing out passengers from all the principal towns in Great Britain and Ireland, at very low rates. For passage, apply at No. 23 Broadway, New-York.
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The new and first-class steamship
GEORGE WASHINGTON,
Capt. E. L. Gates,
Carrying the United States mails,
will leave Pier No. 5, North River, on SATURDAY, Aug. 15, at 3 P. M.
No freight received after Friday.
Passage, with unsurpassed accommodations, $60.
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NEW-YORK AND WASHINGTON
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SEMI-WEEKLY BETWEEN NEW-YORK, WASHINGTON and GEORGETOWN, D. C.
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NEW-ORLEANS DIRECT.
To call on SATURDAY, Aug. 15, at 3 o'clock P. M., the new side-wheel U. S. M. steamship MORNING STAR, A. D. Perkins, Commander, will sail as above from Pier No. 37 North River, foot of Beach-st. For freight or passage, apply to
JAMES A. RAYNOR, 161 Broadway.
N. B.—The steamship EVENING STAR will sail for New-Orleans on SATURDAY, Aug. 22.

STEAM WEEKLY TO LIVERPOOL, touching at QUEENSTOWN, (COVE HARBOR.) The well-known steamers of the Liverpool, New-York and Philadelphia Steamship Company are intended to sail as follows:

CITY OF MANCHESTER	Saturday	Aug. 15
GLASGOW	Saturday	Aug. 22
CITY OF WASHINGTON	Saturday	Aug. 29

and every succeeding Saturday, at Noon, from Pier No. 44 North River.
RATES OF PASSAGE.
Payable in gold, or its equivalent in currency.

First cabin	$100	Steerage	$32 50
First cabin to London	105	Steerage to London	35 00
First cabin to Paris	125	Steerage to Paris	40 00
First cabin to Hamburg	60	Steerage to Hamburg	27 00

Passengers also forwarded to Havre, Bremen, Rotterdam, Antwerp, &c., at equally low rates.
Fares from Liverpool or Queenstown: First Cabin, $75, $80, $100. Steerage $30. Those who wish to send for their friends can buy tickets here at these rates.
For further information apply at the Company's offices.
JOHN G. DALE, Agent,
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NOTICE.—The steamship CITY OF CORK, of this Company, will sail as an extra steamer on THURSDAY, Aug. 13, at an early hour, carrying a limited number of cabin and steerage passengers at reduced rates, payable in U. S. Currency.
JOHN G. DALE, Agent,
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FARE REDUCED $6 35.

THE
PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILWAY
WILL SELL FIRST-CLASS TICKETS
FROM
NEW-YORK TO CHICAGO AT
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And make a reduction of $6 35 to all points in the Northwest.

Passengers by this, the shortest line, save 60 miles in distance, and two hours in time! over all other routes, and have
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Via Allentown	6:00 A.M.	Via Philadelphia	6:00 P.M.
Via Philadelphia	7:00 A.M.	Via Allentown	7:00 P.M.
Leave Philadel'a	11:20 A.M.	Leave Philadelphia	12:30 P.M.
Leave Pittsburgh	1:00 A.M.	Leave Pittsburgh	12:40 P.M.
Arrive Crestline	8:00 A.M.	Arrive Crestline	1:35 P.M.
Arr'e Fort Wayne	2:15 P.M.	Arr'e Fort Wayne	9:10 A.M.
Arrive Chicago	7:15 P.M.	Arrive Chicago	7:40 A.M.

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General Eastern Passenger Agent.

NEW-YORK & FLUSHING RAILROAD.
Leave New-York, at James-slip Ferry and 34th-st. Ferry, at 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 2, 4, 5, 6 and 7½.
Leave Flushing at 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 1, 3½, 5, 6 and 7½.
N. B.—On TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS, a special night train leaves Flushing at 11 P. M., and from 34th-st. Ferry at 11½ P. M.

NEW-YORK, HARLEM AND ALBANY RAILROAD.—Trains will leave 30th-st. depot—For Albany—10:30 A. M., stopping at Williamsbridge, White Plains, Bedford, Croton Falls and stations north to Albany, connecting with Central and Hudson River Railroad for Saratoga and all points north and west. For Croton Falls, 6:15 A. M. and 5 P. M. The 5 P. M. train will run Saturdays only; returning, leave Croton Falls 6:50 A. M. on Mondays.) For White Plains, 6:15, 10 A. M., 2:30, 4:15, 5 P. M. and 8:30 P. M. from Whitlock depot. For Williamsbridge, 6:15, 10 A. M., 2:30, 4:15, 4:45 and 6:30 P. M. Croton Falls, White Plains and Williamsbridge trains stop at all stations. For Dover Plains, 4 P. M., stopping at White Plains and stations north to Dover. Returning, leave Albany at 9:15 A. M., by train of Hudson and Western trains, stopping at all stations from Chatham to Croton Falls, also at Bedford, White Plains and Williamsbridge; Dover Plains, 8:45 A. M., stopping at all stations north of and at White Plains; Croton Falls, 8 P. M., White Plains, 7 P. M., 8:30 P. M., 4:15 P. M., Williamsbridge, 5:30 A. M. and 7:05 P. M. Croton Falls, White Plains and Williamsbridge trains stop at all stations. Sunday Excursion Trains at half-fare. For Croton Falls, 6:15 A. M., stopping at all stations; Dover Plains, 4 P. M., Williamsbridge, 9:15, 11:30 A. M., 2, 4:30 and 8 P. M. For White Plains, 6 P. M. Williamsbridge and White Plains trains stop at all stations. Returning, leave White Plains, 6:15 A. M.; Williamsbridge, 6:40, 10 A. M., 12:45, 3:10, 5:40 and 11 P. M. Dover, stopping at all stations; Croton Falls, 8:00 P. M., stopping at all stations north of and at Williamsbridge.
JOHN BURCHILL, Superintendent.

LONG BRANCH, RARITAN AND DELAWARE BAY RAILROAD—CHANGE OF TIME.—On and after MONDAY, Aug. 3, trains to and from New-York will run as follows: Going North, leave Long Branch at 7 and 11:10 A. M.; leave Manchester at 7:40 and 10:25 A. M. Returning, leave New-York, foot of Murray-street, at 10:45 A. M. and 4:15 P. M. The boat leaving New-York at 6:15 A. M. will be discontinued, and there will be no evening boat for New-York. A freight train, with passenger car attached, will leave Port Monmouth at 6:15 A. M., for Manchester, Connecting with the train on the main line, instead of 8:35 A. M. A freight train will also leave Long Branch for Port Monmouth at 4 P. M.
E. S. SEYMOUR, Gen. Supt.

HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD.—FOR ALBANY, TROY, THE NORTH AND WEST. Trains leave:

FROM CHAMBERS-ST.		FROM THIRTIETH-ST.	
Express, 3:30 A.M., and	3:25, 7:40 A. M., and	3:27	
3:15 and 5 P. M.		and 5:32 P. M.	
Troy and Albany, (with sleeping car,) 10:30 P. M.		10:27 P. M.	

On SUNDAYS, at 5:20 P. M., from 30th-st.
Tickets may be procured at any of the offices of Westcott's Express, in New-York and Brooklyn, and baggage checked at the house to all points on the road, and to Saratoga Springs.

LONG ISLAND RAILROAD.—INCREASED Accommodation.—Leaves James-slip and foot of 34th-st., East River, at 6 A. M. for Greenport, stopping at all stations; and 3:30 P. M. for Jamaica, Mineola, Jericho and all stations east to Greenport. For Islip, 6 A. M., 3:30 P. M. For Hicksville, 9 A. M. and 4:30 and 5:30 P. M. For Jamaica and Hempstead, 9 and 11 A. M., 3:30, 4:30 and 6:30 P. M. Sunday Excursion Train, at 8:15 A. M. from 34th-st., (stopping at all the stations) to Yaphank, at excursion rates. Returning, leaves Yaphank at 3:45 P. M. Jamaica Accommodation Train from New-York, at 6:30 P. M.

ERIE RAILWAY.—PASSENGER TRAINS: 3 A. M.—Express for Buffalo.
6:30 A. M.—Mail, daily, for Otisville.
10 A. M.—Mail, for Buffalo.
4 P. M.—Way, for Otisville, Newburgh and Warwick.
7 P. M.—Night Express, daily, for Dunkirk, Buffalo, Rochester, Canandaigua and principal stations. The train of Saturday runs through to Buffalo, but does not run to Dunkirk.
11 P. M.—Emigrant.
CHAS. MINOT, General Superintendent.

NORTHERN R.R. OF N. JERSEY.—TRAINS leave Jersey City for Piermont at 8:00 A. M., 9:15 A. M., 1:15 P. M., 4:30 P. M. and 6:30 P. M. Saturdays only, 11:15 P. M.; for Monsey, 1:15 P. M. and 4:30 P. M.
THOS. W. DEMAREST, Supt.

STEAMBOATS.

DAY BOAT FOR ALBANY.—THE LARGE and commodious steamer DANIEL DREW leaves from Jay-st. Pier, foot of Courtlandt-st., every THURSDAY and SATURDAY MORNINGS, at 7 o'clock, landing at 30th-st., Yonkers, Cozzens', West Point, Newburgh, Poughkeepsie, Rhinebeck, Tivoli, Catskill and Hudson. Arriving at Albany in time to take the cars for Saratoga and the West; arriving in Saratoga in time to connect with Northern cars. Returning, leaves Albany every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY, at 9 o'clock A. M.

FOR SHREWSBURY, SANDY HOOK, HIGHLANDS, Fort Washington, Bronxville, Port Chester, Fair Haven and Red Bank. On MONDAY, June 1, and every succeeding day, (Sundays excepted,) the steamer HELEN will leave Robinson-st. Pier at 8 A. M., returning, will leave Red Bank at 2½ P. M. SUNDAY TRIPS.—On SUNDAY, May 31, and every succeeding Sunday, she will leave New-

TRIAL OF THE RIOTERS.

Court of General Sessions.

BEFORE RECORDER HOFFMAN.

The Court-room was more crowded with spectators yesterday than on any previous day during the trials. A large number of prisoners were arraigned at the opening of the Court for sentencing, for various offences committed during the riots, all of whom pleaded not guilty, and were sent back to prison.

THE MOB AT THE TRIBUNE OFFICE.

The first case called up for trial was that of James H. Whitter, alias Whitter, indicted for riot in front of the Tribune office, and also for burglary in breaking into said office. A. D. Garvin, Esq., Assistant District-Attorney, appeared for the prosecution, and Edmund Blankman, Esq., for the prisoner. Mr. Blankman wished to know on which indictment the prosecution proposed to try the prisoner. Mr. Garvin replied that he would first try him on the charge of riot.

The Clerk proceeded to call a jury, and Mr. Blankman interposed a challenge to each juror, asking him whether he knew either of the persons composing the Tribune Association, whether he had read any account of the riot in front of the Tribune office, and if so, whether it produced any impression on his mind, &c., &c. Some of the questions were repeated to the same juror several times, whereupon the Recorder told Mr. Blankman not to repeat his questions after they had been once answered; that he was unnecessarily consuming time. Alfred Decker, cashier of the Canada and Amboy Railroad—the third juror called—stated in answer to one of Mr. Blackman's questions that he was opposed to all rioters, whereupon Mr. Blackman pronounced him incompetent. The Recorder said he was not incompetent, as he had expressly stated that he had neither formed nor expressed any opinion in this case. Mr. Blackman then challenged the juror peremptorily. Mr. Ackerman, the next juror called, was also challenged peremptorily. Mr. Yates, ditto; Mr. Beecher, ditto; Mr. Clarke, ditto; John True was permitted to stand aside by consent, he having an imperfect knowledge of English. The following gentlemen were finally sworn as jurors: Orlen Brown, Silas P. Williams, Wm. H. Mountford, Henry Ostendorfer, William H. Hopkins, Wm. Ivison, Joseph S. Treadwell, David Terry, George Ackerman, Clarkson Dye, Christian Bentz, Peter J. Berry.

Mr. Garvin opened the case to the jury in an eloquent address upon the unparalleled character of the late riots. Mere crime, he said, was committed in this City between the 13th and the 17th of last month than had ever been committed in the same period since the foundation of the City. After briefly stating what he proposed to prove relative to the charge against the prisoner, he proceeded to call the witnesses for the prosecution.

The first witness sworn was *Ephraim H. Jump*, one of the employes of the *Tribune*; had been in the office thirteen or fourteen years; his place was usually at the front desk in the publication office; the firm is called the "Tribune Association;" has been legally incorporated seven or eight years; on the 13th of July, about 12½ o'clock, a mob numbering some hundreds assembled in front of the *Tribune* office, in Printing-house-square; Mr. James H. Whitter, the prisoner at the bar, was at the head of the mob; he was dressed in a white coat and had on a Panama hat; can't say as to the color of his pants; I heard him and saw him address the mob; he called for Horace Greeley to show himself; said he was a ——scoundrel and a —— Abolitionist, and that if he would come down he would take his life, or "take his heart out;" he called for groans from the mob, and the mob gave them in answer to the call; think there were 400 or 500 persons in the mob; may have been less; they had clubs and stones in their hands; there was a crowd at that time some twenty minutes in front of the building; they gathered again in the afternoon several times, but did not see the prisoner present at the other gatherings; at the morning gathering he called for cheers for the *Caucasian*, a newspaper printed a few doors from the *Tribune*; he then called for groans for the *Tribune*; he then called for cheers for McClellan, and I think he also called for groans for the NEW-YORK TIMES; I was there when the office was broken into, between 7½ and 7¾ o'clock; the mob at that time commenced by throwing heavy stones, bricks, clubs, &c.; they first demolished the windows and doors; they then entered the office and demolished the furniture in the front portion of the office; an attempt was then made to kindle a fire by piling papers on it; I extinguished the fire myself; should think there were upward of 2,000 on the outside of the building at that time; a dozen or more entered the office, when I stepped out; the yelling and screaming was so great that I could not tell what was said by any individual in the mob.

Cross-examined by Mr. Blankman—Am not acquainted with the prisoner; *I made an affidavit in this case; have stated all that occurs to me now of what* I heard him say on that occasion; think I had seen the prisoner before at Cristadoro's barber-shop, but don't recollect; I am 55 years of age; have worn glasses four or five years; am not near-sighted; can read without glasses, but sometimes use them; prisoner was perhaps forty feet from me when I first saw him; he was outside the office, and I inside; the windows and doors were open; did not see the prisoner have either crutches or a cane; the crowd were all around him, and followed him; I noticed he had a peculiar gait—what might be called a rapid waddling; can't say whether he walked lame; my attention was so attracted by his face that I did not notice his legs; think Mr. Greeley was in the editorial department of the paper at the time; did not recognize any of the persons in the crowd that I knew; am certain of the identity of the prisoner; could have remembered his face for three years; I identified him at the Mayor's Office on the 1st of August; I told him that I recognized him as being in the mob, and told him that this mob was a part of a grand national conspiracy, and that if he would tell who were the instigators of the riot, and make a full statement of what he knew, I would use my influence to have him get clear, so that he could turn State's evidence; the influence I told him I would use was my own personal influence; I told him I would befriend him on condition that he would bring to light the conspirators who led him and others, and that it would be the best thing he could do; he replied that he wasn't there, and knew nothing about it.

William A. Hall, sworn—Am a boot and shoe merchant, doing business at No. 21 Park-row; saw the prisoner in front of the *Tribune* office from a quarter to one o'clock on the 13th of July up to pretty near two o'clock; I first noticed him from the fourth story of the *Tribune* office; he was leading the mob, and calling for groans, hisses, &c., and daring Horace Greeley to come out; afterward saw him trying to get hold of a policeman, but the policeman broke away, and ran; some of the mob had clubs, and others stones; I came down out of the *Tribune* office about half an hour after I first saw the prisoner; I went into the crowd, within two or three feet of the prisoner, and talked with him; I know he is the man; I heard him say that that building (pointing to the TIMES) had got to come down, and that the *Tribune* office had got to come down, and that they would have the life of Horace Greeley; I saw him again about half-past seven o'clock, just before the *Tribune* office was attacked; was not near enough to him in the evening to hear what he said; I went to see the prisoner at the Tombs after his arrest; was shown twenty or thirty different prisoners before he was brought out; I was some fifty feet from him when he was brought out of the cell; I immediately said to the Keeper, "That is the man;" Mr. Greeley was in the building at the time of the riot early in the afternoon.

Cross-examined—I belong to the firm of Benedict, Hall & Co.; have had contracts with the Government; I own stock in the *Tribune*; Mr. Greeley is not interested with me in the shoe business; neither he nor any of his associates ever used any influence with the Government to get me a contract; have been interested in the *Tribune* about two years; own two shares in the paper; I talked with the prisoner in the crowd two or three minutes; he was very violent in his manner; don't know whether Mr. Greeley was in terror of the prisoner or not.

Redirect Examination—When I saw him at the Tombs he first said that he was not in the crowd; then he said that the conversation I had with him he admitted he was there.

Capt. John Flynn sworn—Saw the crowd in front of the *Tribune* building on the 13th of July; first saw the prisoner about half-past eleven o'clock A. M. of that day; he was then leading a mob from the *Tribune* up to the *Daily News*; after giving three cheers for the *Daily News* they went back to the *Tribune*; when they got as far as French's Hotel part of the mob hesitated to go on, when the prisoner took off his hat and called upon them to follow him to the *Tribune* office; he told the crowd that they must go down and "gut out and burn down the —— building;" some of the mob had clubs, and others nothing; have known the prisoner by sight since August, 1860; afterwards saw him about seven and three-quarters o'clock, with a crowd around him, in front of the *Tribune* building; there were four hundred or five hundred men in the crowd; heard him call for the men who had the camphene to go in and burn down the building; the crowd then advanced to the building and smashed it in; some had clubs and some stones; saw the prisoner as far as the door of the *Tribune* office; don't know whether he went in or not; soon after this the Police came up and charged on the building and drove the men out.

Cross-examined—Have been an officer in the army from August, 1861, to June, 1863; was in the Sixty-third New-York Volunteers; first saw the prisoner in the barber-shop, under the Astor House, in August, 1860; was in the shop perhaps eight or ten times after that; I was within five or six feet of the prisoner when he was in the crowd at the *Tribune* office; I wrote a letter to Mr. Greeley, stating that I knew the prisoner, and telling where he was to be found; afterwards saw the letter in the hands of a detective; never saw Mr. Greeley before this morning; I was induced to write the letter because I thought it was my duty as a good citizen; besides, I had previously heard the prisoner talk treason against the Government; heard him talk treason several times in the barber's shop; a few days before the battle of Gettysburgh, heard the prisoner say in Christadore's barber-shop, that he hoped and believed that he would shave Jeff. Davis in New-York inside of sixty days; he gave a detailed account of the manner in which the rebels were going to take Washington, and said that, in less than two months, TIMES would be dictated to the North from that city by the Confederates.

A. H. Washington, sworn—Am book-keeper in Barclay-street; on the 13th of July, about 11½ o'clock, saw a large crowd in Printing-house-square; did not see the prisoner at that time; saw the prisoner in front of the *Tribune* office; he was leading the crowd.

Cross-examined—Have seen the prisoner before that day; was not in sight of him more than five minutes; [illegible] recognized him as the man I saw on the 13th of July.

T. W. Ingham, sworn—Am City Editor of the *Tribune*; was in the office on the 13th of July, and saw the crowd; the first rush commenced there between 12 and 1 o'clock; it was led on by the prisoner; the first I heard was the prisoner waiting for three cheers for George B. McClellan; he then called for three groans for Horace Greeley; whom he denounced with violent gestures as a "d——d black-hearted Abolitionist;" the crowd then went up and cheered the *Daily News*, and afterward came back and cheered the *Caucasian*; have no doubt of the identity of the prisoner; I know he is the man.

Cross-examination developed nothing new.

Daniel Godwin, sworn: Am book and job printer in the *Tribune* buildings; saw the mob spoken of by previous witnesses, and recognize the prisoner as the leader of the crowd; left the office at seven and a half P. M., and did not see the crowd that broke into the office.

Geo. L. Ehle sworn—and testified to substantially the same facts as the previous witnesses; he saw the mob in front of the *Tribune* office both in the morning and evening, and has no doubt of the identity of the prisoner.

Cross-examined—Was on the Tribune two years ago; am now connected with the *Police Gazette*; never saw the prisoner before that day nor since until I saw him to-day in Court.

Jacob Swartz testified to the identity of the prisoner, whom he saw in the mob at the *Tribune* office haranguing the crowd.

One or two other witnesses were called, and identified the prisoner as the leader of the mob on the occasion referred to, after which the prosecution rested their case, and the defence called as their first witness

Joseph Cristadore, who testified that he kept a barber's shop under the Astor House; that the prisoner had been in his employ six years; on the 13th day of July the prisoner was in his shop until twelve and one-half o'clock, when he left for dinner and came back at his usual time, about one and a half o'clock P. M.; he was in the shop at five P. M., when the witness left; during the day he was at work shaving customers at his chair in the shop; his character has always been good since he has been in my employ; he has a wife and two children.

Cross-examined—Don't know where the prisoner was while he was gone to dinner, nor what time he left the shop after I went away at five o'clock.

Thos. Kelly testified that he was employed in Cristadore's barber-shop; that the prisoner was also employed there, and that on the 13th of July he was in the shop until 12½ o'clock, when he went out to dinner; came back at the usual time and stayed till the shop was closed, at twenty minutes before 6 o'clock; after going around the Park about five minutes, witness went up town in a stage with prisoner; was with him until nearly 9 o'clock P. M.

Cross-examined—Usually walk up town when I go home at night; prisoner always rides up.

John Shaunsy, sworn—Know the prisoner by the name of Henry; (Mr. Blankman said his name was James Henry Whitter;) have known him about six years; saw him at work in the barber-shop on the forenoon of the 13th of July; did not go into the shop, but saw him as I was passing along the street; also saw him there in the afternoon; can't say the exact time.

Francis Sicardi testified that he worked in the shop with the prisoner; that on the 13th of July he was at work in the shop all the forenoon until 12½ o'clock, when he went to dinner; got back from dinner before 2 o'clock, after which he remained there until they shut up the shop, which was between 7 and 7½ o'clock.

Allen Hoy, blacksmith, testified that he had known prisoner three years, and he was a man of good character.

Matilda Clark testified that she lived in the same house with the prisoner, and that he was a man of good character; on the evening of the 13th of July, prisoner came home at half-past eight o'clock.

Robert Lees testified that he lived near the prisoner, but could not tell what time he got home on the 13th of July; the prisoner's character was good so far as witness knew.

The defence here rested their case.

R. S. Tharin, Esq., who was associated with Mr. Blankman in the defence of the prisoner, proceeded to sum up the case to the jury. Mr. Tharin's appearance at the New-York Bar is somewhat recent. He is said to be a Union refugee from Alabama, and was formerly a law partner of William L. Yancey. He made an ingenious and able argument in favor of his client as the case would admit of, and indulged in several sarcastic hits at Horace Greeley, the New-York *Tribune*, and the 900,000 volunteers which that paper promised to the country on a certain contingency, but who are not as yet forthcoming.

At the conclusion of Mr. Tharin's remarks, Mr. E. D. Garvin summed up the case for the prosecution in a speech which for earnestness, eloquence and fearlessness has seldom been equaled in the Court of Sessions. He painted the rioters in their true colors and called them by their right names. His speech produced a marked sensation in the audience. He complimented the jury for their fearless performance of their duty in the various cases that had come before them during the present term of the Court, and said that in this, the case to be tried, they would render a just verdict according to the evidence, uninfluenced by any consideration other than the maintenance of the law, and the preservation of the public peace.

After a brief charge from the Recorder, the jury retired for deliberation at 5 o'clock. At 6 o'clock, the jury came into Court, when the foreman said that they were agreed upon a verdict, with the exception of one juror, who wished for some information about the testimony of Mr. Hall, one of the witnesses for the prosecution. The disagreeing juror, whose name is Christian Brod, came and asked the Recorder whether Mr. Hall testified that he saw the prisoner at 11 or 11½ o'clock. The Recorder read over the testimony of Mr. Hall from his minutes, from which it appeared that Mr. Hall testified that he first saw the prisoner about a quarter before 1 o'clock. The jury then consulted together a moment in their seats, when the Clerk asked them if they had agreed upon a verdict. The foreman said they were all agreed but one. The Recorder then told them to retire, and if they agreed in fifteen minutes, he would wait to receive their verdict, otherwise they would have to stay out all night. In about fifteen minutes, the jury returned with a verdict of "guilty." The jury were then discharged for the term, the prisoner was remanded to the Tombs, and the Court adjourned to 10 A. M. to-day.

Deaths from Sun-Stroke.

The following cases of sun-stroke were reported at Police Headquarters yesterday:

FRANCIS BITZ, aged 37 years, native of Germany, was found lying on Pier No. 7 East River. He was conveyed to the City Hospital in a dying condition.

RICHARD GRANT, aged 70 years, residing at No. 47 New-Bowery, died soon after he was discovered by the Police.

PETER HOGEY was found in Pearl-street, suffering from the effects of the heat. He was taken to Bellevue Hospital.

JULIUS KIRBY, aged 31 years, native of Germany, was found prostrated by the heat in Pearl-street, and conveyed to the City Hospital.

JOHN RYAN, residing at the corner of First-avenue and Twentieth-street, was sun-struck on Tuesday afternoon, in Second-avenue. The Police conveyed him to his residence.

JAMES HEFFERNAN was taken to Bellevue Hospital suffering from sun-stroke. He is not expected to recover.

CHRISTIAN SCHEVERS was found on the sidewalk in Chatham-street, and taken to Bellevue Hospital.

EDWARD MATTHESSON, residing at No. 61 West Nineteenth-street. The Police conveyed him to his residence.

An unknown man, aged about 45 years, died from the effects of heat, opposite No. 510 Broome-street. His body was conveyed to Bellevue Hospital.

An unknown woman, aged about 40 years, was found in Christie-street, near Hester, and taken to Bellevue Hospital.

JOHNNY CARROLL, a native of Ireland, aged 63 years, died at his residence, No. 506½ Greenwich-street.

JOHN BERRIGAN, a native of Baltimore, aged 28 years.

An unknown man died at Bellevue Hospital last evening; also, one at No. 507 Broome-street.

SIMON HAYES, a native of Ireland, aged 60 years, died at Bellevue Hospital.

JOHN GAUNDY was found dead at the Emigrant Depot, *Castle Garden*.

WM. CHADWICK, a native of Ireland, aged 24 years, residing at No. 278 Cherry-street.

BERNARD BRADY, of Ireland, aged 30 years, residing at No. 128 East Twenty-second-street.

ALICE KEYNOR, a native of England, aged 30 years, residing at No. 208 Pearl-street.

JOHN V. WAGNER, a native of New-York, 37 years, residing at No. 31 Fulton-st.

An unknown man, who was working at Sweetmore Hall in Catharine-st., died yesterday afternoon.

CORNELIUS TALBY, a native of Ireland, aged 30 years, residing at No. 66 Mott-street.

LEWIS RAUCH, a native of Germany, aged 44 years, residing at No. 263 Grand-street.

PATRICK HARRIS, Ireland, 60 years, died at Bellevue Hospital.

RICHARD WRIGHT, a returned volunteer, aged 21 years, was found dead at the Tenth Precinct Station-house.

CHARLES DEAL, a native of Germany, aged 42 years, died at the last named Station-house.

BRIDGET MCGOVERN, Ireland, 45 years, residing at No. 342 Water-street.

An unknown soldier died at the Station-house of the Fifteenth Precinct. He is supposed to have been a trumpeter in the cavalry service.

An unknown man died at Bellevue Hospital yesterday afternoon.

An unknown woman, aged about 24 years, at Bellevue Hospital.

Another unknown man, a native of Ireland, aged about 40 years, Bellevue Hospital.

An unknown woman, a native of Germany, aged about 37 years, Bellevue Hospital.

A man, name unknown, supposed to be a native of Ireland, aged about 42 years, died at Bellevue Hospital last evening.

PATRICK DONOVAN died at Bellevue.

An unknown man was picked up in Catharine-street, and died in two hours after. Deceased was apparently about 40 years of age.

An unknown man, aged about 49 years, was found lying on the sidewalk in Forty-ninth-street, between Fourth and Fifth ave. He was conveyed to St. Luke's Hospital.

PETER DARRIGUE, aged 50 years, residing at No. 197 East Thirty-third-street, died in a few minutes after he was attacked.

THOMAS DONOVO was found insensible in the street and taken home.

An unknown man was found prostrated with the heat in Barclay-street, and conveyed to the City Hospital by the Fifth Precinct Police.

Annual Festival for the Widows and Orphans of the Highland Guard.

JONES' WOOD IN GALA—$1,000 FOR THE CAUSE OF CHARITY.

The Committee established in this City immediately after the first battle of Bull Run, or about two years ago, to collect funds for the benefit of the widows and orphans of the Seventy-ninth regiment N. Y. S. M., (or Highland Guard,) held their annual pic-nic or festival at Jones' Wood yesterday. The beauty and greatly diminished heat of the weather favored this praiseworthy and popular fete, and we are happy to say that from 10 A. M., the hour of commencement, until 8 P. M., the hour of its close, the merry-making was one of the liveliest and gayest that even Scottish hilarity could produce. The Regiment Relief Committee, as it is called, consists of a number of gentlemen who have united voluntarily for the noble object already indicated. Although but in the beginning of the third year of their labors, they have already applied in the first year $1,000, in the second year $1,400, and propose for the third year to dispense $1,200 for the purposes of their benevolent undertaking. Three months ago, they reported in the *Scottish American Journal* the possession of a fund of $600 in hand, and their Treasurer, Lieut. THOMAS R. RAMPSSON, last night estimated the proceeds of the festival at $1,000. The Chairman of the Committee is the gallant and well-known Capt. WM. BRUCE, and and its Secretary Mr. JAMES NICHOLSON, to whose exertions much of its success is due.

By noon, the platforms, hotel, booths, terraces and other central portions of the spacious grounds were crowded with "fair women and brave men," and from every quarter of the woods the national songs of old Scotland resounded. On the main platform ROBERTSON'S orchestral band of thirty pieces, added the music, and there and elsewhere a programme of no less than twenty-six grand sets was tripped in jocund measure, the Scottish Reel alternating with the Redowa, the Highland fling, the Danish Polka and the Spanish waltz.

OTHER SOCIETIES.

In the afternoon, the Burns Club, headed by its President, Mr. LEMBAY, arrived, and contributed much to the sport. The entire Caledonian Club, with its President, Capt. MAXWELL, also contributed their presence and gayety. Of these several were arrayed in the full Highland costume, "the garb of the Gael," among them Mr. Guy HAMILTON in the Hamilton plaid plume, Mr. ROBERT COCHRAN in the Macduff tartan, and Mr. DAVID MELLON in the Rob Roy tartan, being the most conspicuous.

Professor J. A. MACPHERSON presided over the dancing, which concluded punctually at 8 P. M.

BOWKERS, the ever favorite landlord of "the Wood," excelled himself, and the occasion was as delightful as, we are happy to say, it was beneficial to a noble charity.

Thirty-nine widows, one hundred orphans and ten disabled soldiers, at present in the care of the Committee, will rejoice with the other friends of the Seventy-ninth—a regiment that from the first Bull Run battle clear to the last fierce struggle at Jackson, Miss., has thrown high the Scottish name and honor in defending the flag of its adopted country.

Claims for Damages.

INVESTIGATION OF THEM TO BEGIN TO-DAY.

The following additional claims for damages, caused during the late riot, were filed with the Comptroller yesterday:

New-York Dessicating Company, No. 229 Stanton-st.	$442 50
Samuel H. Jamieson, No. 835 10th-av.	250 00
David H. Brown, No. 107 5th-st., street attack	60 00
Joseph D. Hutchins, No. 1,000 West 30th-st.	250 00
Benedict & Benedict, Broadway and 26th-st.	1,115 45
Eli Loomis, street attack	10 00
John Fan, No. 488 2d-av.	2,420 65
James M. Tytler, No. 270 2d-av.	127 00
John Holly, No. 363 West 35th-st.	25 00
Fred. C. Wagner, Provost-Marshal Seventh District, loss of stationery	67 42
Geo. F. Ingalls, loss of tools at Armory	25 50
Frank Gardner, 21st-st. and 2d-av.	47 25
Mrs. M. C. Salisbury, No. 9 York-st.	19 74
W. H. C. Green, No. 131 West 18th-st.	60 00
John Pitchett, loss of watches—dep't say where	60 00
John Grim and Louis Lozie, loss of tools	25 00
Louis N. Davis, No. 147 East 28th-st.	310 75
Andrew Hosmer, No. 265 West 28th-st.	100 00
Alex. Young, No. 255 2d-av.	50 00
Peter J. Shaw, No. 209 10th-av.	60 00
P. Steirle, 42d-st. and 2d-av.	17 43

MESSRS. PURDY, DAVIS, BLUNT and WEISSMAN, the Special Committee of the Board of Supervisors, to whom the claims are referred to be investigated and audited, held a meeting in the Comptroller's Office yesterday, at noon, Comptroller BRENNAN and the Corporation Counsel, Mr. DAVIES, being present. After the meeting, the Committee conferred with the Mayor. It was decided to hold a session each afternoon, at 3 o'clock, in the Supreme Court rooms, on Chambers-street, to hear claimants and examine witnesses, as many of them as can be heard at one session, being given due notice of the particular day for them to appear, so that their time will not be taken up unnecessarily. The Committee have a long, tedious and troublesome task before them, but they are determined to prosecute it as rapidly as they possibly can, without omitting to exercise all the care and research which the public interests demand should be made as to the character and justness of the various claims.

The Destruction of the Barracks at New-York.

HEADQUARTERS, SYRACUSE BARRACKS, NEW-YORK, STATEN ISLAND, Tuesday, Aug. 11, 1863.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

The accounts of the fire at this post may create misapprehension in some minds as to the facts of the case. That the fire was the work of an incendiary there is no doubt. The barracks were fired from without—whether by a soldier or civilian I cannot presume to say. But it is a great injustice to the men under my command to suppose there was any spirit of disaffection prevailing at the time. I never saw men more prompt in obedience, or more hearty in their efforts to support their officers, than were the men of this command during the conflagration. It was owing to their discipline and courage that the remaining half of the camp was saved from destruction.

Again, there were absolutely no desertions. I trust you will make public this statement.

Very respectfully, your obd't servant,
SELDEN HETZEL,
Major 176th N. Y. V., Commanding Post.

Departure of the French Consul-General.

Among the passengers who left our shores yesterday for Europe, on the Cunard steamer *Scotia*, was the Marquis DE MONTMORLOS, the recent Consul-General of France at this port, where he has held his high and honorable post for more than nine years. During that considerable period Mr. DE MONTMORLOS has had many delicate and difficult questions to adjust, and has, throughout, borne himself with distinguished tact and ability. His absence, which circumstances may render final, will leave a void difficult to fill.

M. DE MONTMORLOS was accompanied to the deck of the steamer and down the bay by a throng of friends, American and English as well as French, who bade him Godspeed upon his journey, but with many regrets at his departure. The *Scotia* was crowded with passengers.

The French Consulate is, during the interim, under the charge of M. LOUIS BOSO, its Chancellor.

Cricket.

BOSTON CLUB VS. ST. GEORGE'S CLUB.

The match between these Clubs was resumed *yesterday morning at Hoboken, and terminated about* sunset in favor of St. George, by a majority of seventy-five runs; the total score standing: St. George, first innings, 124; second innings, 123. Boston, first innings, 104; second innings, 67.

The points of the match (which is an annual one between these fine Clubs) may be briefly stated: The play on both sides has been first-rate, St. George having the advantage in being the better batsmen, while the Boston men excelled in the delivery. The bowling of O'Brien was very fatal, and dead on the wicket; Martin not being as effective as usual on account of an injury to his left hand, which rendered it useless either in bowling, fielding or batting; he was relieved by Mr. Draper for a time in the second innings, whose bowling was measured by the St. George's batsmen.

The analysis will show that Mr. Gibbes was the most successful bowler in the first innings, while Mr. Hardinge stood at the head of that department in the last line in the second innings; Mr. Tom Belding up the match very successfully with his "slows," and taking three wickets, thus turning an otherwise drawn game into a victory for St. George. We generalize our comments on the game by saying that, good as the wicket-keepers are known to be, they were not up to their usual mark in this match; but the long-stopping of Messrs. ALLINE and TOMP was splendid, as was the fielding of the alternate cover-points and long legs for St. George—Mr. Palmer and George Wright—who deserve particular notice, at the risk of being considered invidious as to the merits of the rest of the St. George's fielders.

With the exception of one or two soft spots in the Boston fielding, by which Messrs. Gibbes and Bainbridge had three or four lives in the second innings, their play was remarkably sharp.

The most noticeable features of the batting were Mr. Waller's 9; Mr. Bainbridge's 8 and 11, in which were a 3 and 2 2s; Mr. Gibbe's splendid 19 and 23, in which were a 4, 7 3s and 7 2s, cent to all parts of the field; Mr. Hardinge's 12 and 12, not out, in which by fine play he got 2 4s, a 3 and 2 2s, to all points; Geo. Wright got a fine leg hit for 4, a 4, 2 3s, a 2, and singles, in his well obtained 23; Mr. Kendall's 8 and 7 were got in his usual brilliant style, a drive for 3 over the bowler's head, and a cut for 3 standing prominent; Mr. Todd's 13 was a very fine display of cricket, in which was a drive for 4, a 3 and 2; and Mr. Palmer's 29 was obtained in masterly style, in which was one also a leg hit for 4, and drive for 4, as we have seen in a long time—a cut and leg hit for 3 each, a 2, and 2 singles, made up his figures—and the spirited way in which this gentleman ran up his score in company with Mr. Hardinge, proved a rich treat to the many judges of real good cricket who witnessed the match.

Some of the Boston men distinguished themselves highly by their good play, while others—known good ones—were unfortunate. Mr. Alline's steady play for 9 3s, as well as Mr. Josline's for 22 and 8, was greatly applauded. Mr. Josline counted 2 2s, 5 3s and singles, principally by cuts and slips. Mr. Draper's well got 15 were a 3, 2 2s and 1s. In Mr. Haigh's 3 and 20 were a brilliant 3 to square leg, a 2 and 3 2s. Mr. Blanchard's 7 were well got, and Mr. Roddick made a very dashing—yet safe—display of cricket for 18 and 6, in which were 2 4s and 4 2s, to all points of the field; and Mr. O'Brien's 13 and 11 was a plucky and scientific exhibition of hard hitting and good cricket, in which was a 5—the best cut of the match—2 4s, 2 3s and singles.

A Cricketer's dinner was again done justice too during the day, and some pretty things were said by Mr. FRANK CHECKETT for Boston and Mr. WALLACE for St. George, upon the presentation of the ball. Cheers were given on both sides, and for the Umpires Messrs. VIPERN and SHARP. Mr. SHARP responded for both, and said that the decisions of Umpires were, and ought to be final in all cases, from which there is no appeal. This settles the long mooted question on that subject between the St. George and New-York Clubs. The majority of the Boston eleven play to-day against the New-York Club in the match New-York vs. Massachusetts; but how their physical ability will be able to sustain their cricketing spirit with success remains to be seen. The present match has been one which all agree to have given pleasure to every one engaged in it, as well as those who witnessed it.

The following is the score of the second innings and analysis of the bowling throughout the game:

ST. GEORGE—2D INNINGS.

Bainbridge, b O'Brien	11
Lang, b O'Brien	6
Gibbes, c Haugh, b Martin	33
Waller, lbw, b O'Brien	9
G. Wright, b O'Brien	23
Todd, c Alline, b Martin	13
Hardinge, not out	12
Palmer, run out	29
Ford, b Martin	0
Walker, c Ashwell, b O'Brien	1
Kendall, b O'Brien	7
b 4; lb 1; w 14; nob 1	20
Total	123
First innings	124
Total both innings	247

BOSTON—2D INNINGS.

Lumb, b Hardinge	6
Alline, b Gibbes	2
Josline, c Beldringe, b Hardinge	8
Blanchard, C. Ford, b Hardinge	7
Draper, c Waller, b Gibbes	0
Ashwell, b Hardinge	3
Haigh, c Lang, b Todd	20
Roddick, b Hardinge	6
O'Brien, c Wright, b Todd	11
Haugh, c Palmer, b Todd	2
Martin, not out	2
b 4; lb 1; w 4	9
Total	67
First innings	104
Total both innings	171

ANALYSIS OF THE BOWLING.

BOSTON CLUB.

First Innings.

	Balls.	Runs	M'dns	Wickets	Wides
O'Brien	132	21	17	6	4
Martin	133	64	7	4	13

Second Innings.

O'Brien	153	47	25	6	2
Martin	120	38	16	4	7
Draper	48	11	11	0	4

ST. GEORGE'S CLUB.

First Innings.

Gibbes	118	43	7	6	0
Hardinge	63	10	7	1	1
Waller	9	10	0	0	0
G. Wright	46	32	1	2	0

Second Innings.

Gibbes	168	33	14	3	1
Hardinge	124	24	17	5	2
Todd	17	12	0	0	0

RUNS MADE AT THE FALL OF EACH WICKET.

St. George	1st	2d	3d	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
1st in'ngs	3	27	37	73	73	73	90	90	98	124
2d in'ngs	3	30	41	41	75	78	108	109	110	122
Boston										
1st in'ngs	32	40	41	44	83	77	78	88	102	104
2d in'ngs	8	16	17	17	17	21	23	45	46	67

UMPIRES—Messrs. Vernon and Sharp.
SCORERS—Messrs. Bixby and Davis.

GENERAL CITY NEWS.

ARREST OF A DEAD MAN; THE DEAD AND LIVING.—Ex-policeman CUSICK, a fellow some time since turned out of the force, was arrested and lodged in Headquarters yesterday on charge of riot, arson, &c. It is alleged also that he was one of the dastardly assailants of Superintendent KENNEDY. After the riots he was dead and buried—killed by the Police. That is, by himself and friends, the report was widely circulated that he had been fatally injured in the invaded Districts, by the Police, had crawled into a stone yard and dissolved his connection with the mob, and the world generally, by laying down and soon after dying; that he was gathered up, conveyed to his family, wraked over and decently buried thereafter. All this was of course a lie, manufactured to divert the search for him. Despite it, however, he has been arrested, and was brought into Headquarters, and placed under lock and key, in disgrace and with ignominy, and also with the prospects of State Prison before him, about the time that a member of the force with which he had been connected—Officer MCLAVIER, of the Twenty-ninth Precinct—was being laid into the building and escorted with all Metropolitan honors to the tomb. Officer McLAVIER had lost his life in the preservation of the law which the other and his kind had violated. The one was loved and honored—these expressions are not stereotyped ones in speaking of McLAVIER—by every officer and comrade in his Precinct; the other, a recreant, and despised and contemned by all men as a ruffian, rioter and arsonist. Which in their condition is the most to be envied?

The steamer *Golden City* (Capt. OLIVER ELDRIDGE) leaves this afternoon for California, touching at Rio de Janeiro and Lota, Chili. Capt. ELDRIDGE last year commanded the Pacific Mail Steamship Company's steamer *Constitution*, which attracted so much attention at Rio de Janeiro, and was visited by 30,000 Brazilians. The intelligent Emperor of Brazil, DON PEDRO II., intends to visit the *Golden City* with his court, and is constantly he could not see a finer specimen of naval architecture. Among the passengers is M. J. HEADE, Esq., the artist, who goes to depict the scenery of a land more picturesque than Switzerland, and more luxuriant than Orsua or the farthest Ind. Also, Rev. J. C. FREMONT, whose name is so closely associated with the Pacific and Brazilians, who goes out for philanthropic purposes.

SUPPOSED FATAL STABBING AFFRAY.—Coroner RANDT yesterday held an ante-mortem examination in the case of PATRICK CONNIGAN, who was stabbed at the corner of Ninth-avenue and Thirty-sixth-street on the night of the 10th inst. The injured man, in company with a friend, was passing along the street at a late hour, when they were attacked by a dog. It was with the greatest difficulty that they prevented the rabid animal from doing them bodily harm, and during the time they were engaged in defending themselves, the owner of the dog made his appearance, and threatened to kill them if they injured his dog. A collision ensued. CONNIGAN was seriously stabbed in the abdomen by the man who claimed the dog. His injuries are such that his physicians say he cannot recover. The jury rendered a verdict in accordance with the above facts.

DROWNED.—Coroner WILDEY held an inquest yesterday on the body of JOHN DEMON, which was found in the water at Pier No. 16 North River. The deceased was endeavoring to cross the river in a small boat in company with three friends, when one of the Pavonia ferry-boats came along and ran them down. The party were all saved with the exception of deceased. The body was soon afterwards recovered by some boatmen. Upon his person were found $380—$50 of which was paid over to the men who secured the body. Coroner WILDEY held an inquest upon deceased.

DOGS, TO THE POUND.—The ordinance against dogs went into operation June 24, but business has not been very active, only 1,600 of the animals being brought in. The Mayor has increased the price for *dogs brought to the pound from twenty-five to fifty* cents each, which will have, it is to be hoped, the effect of slathering up rambling curs of high and low degree. A number of mad dogs have been killed within a few days, and this increase of rate is timely.

ADMIRAL FARRAGUT.—Admiral FARRAGUT leaves this City to-day for Washington, the Secretary of the Navy having requested a desire to see him immediately. It is reported in naval circles that he is to command a new fleet destined for the reduction of a Southern stronghold.

THE HUNDRED ATTEMPT TO BLOW UP THE AQUEDUCT.—The result of an attempt on Monday night, to blow up the Aqueduct at a point near Tarrytown, arose from the fact of two men being caught near the aqueduct with a small can of gunpowder in their possession. As there was no evidence of evil intention on their part, they were released.

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BARNUM has added to his natural curiosity department the largest snake ever seen, probably, on this continent—a real Python, the dragon of the Indies. Yesterday was the first that he was out of his small cage, in which he was brought from his native land, and, as he had not eaten for several months, was ravenous, and devoured rabbits, guinea-pigs, pigeons and chickens, by wholesale, creating the greatest excitement among the wondering visitors.

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HERMAN'S Patent Champion Fire-Proof Safes, and HERMAN'S new Patent Burglar-proof Safes, with HERMAN & FLOYD'S Patent Crystallized Iron—the only material which cannot be drilled—at No. 251 Broadway, New-York.

Passengers Arrived.

Aug. 11—*In steamship Glasgow, from Liverpool*—Mr. Clark and lady, Miss Clark,